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## LIMESTONE DEMOCRATS HOLD STORMY SESSION

### YANK FLIER ERIC SMITH GOING IT ALONE BOUND FOR NORTH

ABOARD U. S. CRUISER RICHMOND, ORKNEY ISLANDS, Aug. 2.—Lieutenant Eric C. Nelson, missing American round the world flier, has been sighted off Fargo Islands by the torpedo boat Billingsley. The Billingsley radioed the Richmond that Nelson flew over Faros at 12:50 Greenwich time, speeding toward Iceland, apparently determined to continue the flight alone. The weather was cleared and conditions ahead favorable. Nelson is accompanied by Mechanic Harding.

KIRK WALL, Orkney Islands, Aug. 2.—Lieut. Eric Nelson of the American around the world flight was winging his way toward Iceland alone today after becoming separated from his flying mates in a fog 25 miles out of Houton Bay, off Kirkwall.

Lieut. Lowell Smith, commander of the flight and Lieut. Leigh Wade decided to return to Houton Bay when they lost Nelson in the dense mist which hung over the north Atlantic.

The commander and Wade flew back over Kirkwall at 10:15 a. m. and circled over Houton Bay to their landing buoys.

Meantime the U. S. Cruiser Richmond, which had cheered the fliers' departure, put out to sea under full steam to race in the wake of the speeding Nelson and render him assistance if it is needed.

The Richmond sent out hurried radios to the torpedo boat destroyers Reid and Billingsley warning them that Nelson was on his way alone and asking that a close lookout be kept for him.

The two ships previously had taken up positions along the route of the fliers from Houton Bay to Hornafjord, Iceland.

### WEATHER WAS FINE FOR FLIERS HOP SATURDAY

BOARD U. S. S. RICHMOND, OFF KIRK WALL, ORKNEY ISLAND, Aug. 2.—When America's round the world flier took off on their 550-mile jump to Iceland at 9:30 a. m. today the weather here was fair.

Fog, which had held the world war men prisoners in Houton bay for two days after their success full flight from Brough, England lifted during the night and the three big planes, riding gracefully at their buoy anchors were made ready at daylight.

There was a great jostling of motors and testing, a final inspection and then an anxious wait for radio messages from the torpedo boat destroyers, Reid and Billingsley—lay for reports on the weather along the course.

Finally, the radio man on the Richmond called out and a group of officers gathered round as he handed over the message: "favorable."

"Fifteen miles visibility" the Reid shot through a minute later and then the same word came from the Billingsley.

It was then 6 a. m. and the airman decided to take off at 8 o'clock.

Final preparations were not completed until after 9, however and it was 9:29 when the signal to take off was given.

Lieut. Lowell Smith in the flagship of the air squadron took the lead, skimming across the bay followed by his two companions, Lieut. Wade and Nelson.

The three planes took the air practically simultaneously and then soared away to open sea.

Blue-sockets on the Richmond sent up a great cheer and the stars and stripes fluttered bravely in the morning breeze as the big machines winged into the air toward Iceland on the first leg of their final perilous flight to the home land.

All the airmen were confident a they hustled and about their preparations this morning and after hearty breakfasts.

"It may be a hard flight" said Lieut. Smith "but I don't think we will encounter the difficulties we experienced in Alaska and the Aleutians."

Some icebergs was reported along the route but it was not anticipated they would cause trouble.

ARGENTINE AVIATOR IN AIR CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 2.—Major Petro Zamli, Argentine aviator attempting an eastward flight around the world took off from Bunder Abbas today for Karachi, India.

### Allied Conference Making Rapid Strides Toward Settlement

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The allied conference here moved rapidly toward its goal of putting the Dawes program into execution, thus providing the machinery for general European settlement of the reparations problem. The plenary session agreed on an invitation to Germany to send delegates to a conference and the invitation was telegraphed to Berlin later in the afternoon by the German ambassador. It was understood that the allied message was a simple request that Germany send representatives.

### BIG SEVEN BEGAN WORK ON TEXT INVITATION TO HUNS

By LLOYD ALLEN (United Press Staff Correspondent) LONDON, Aug. 2.—The plenary session of the allied conference here today reached an agreement to forward an invitation to Germany to attend a conference to Germany to the conference, according to authoritative information.

Sources close to the conferences were optimistic, indicating an agreement had been reached and that the tangled German reparations question finally is well on the way to the settlement through application of the program of the committee of experts, headed by Dawes of the United States.

The conference accepted the reports of its first and third committees today.

The invitation to Germany probably will be sent to Berlin this afternoon and the Germans delegates will start immediately for London to agree to the new program. The German government already declared itself in favor of the Dawes program in principle.

The plenary session lasted two and one half hours and it was understood the conference reached agreement on a majority of the questions at issue, accepting the French proposals in all essentials.

The "big seven" began consideration of the text of the invitation to Germany at once and expected the German representatives would arrive here Tuesday. This might make possible completion of the conference next week.

### Railroad Officials Drop Evans Affair

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 2.—Further action against Dr. H. W. Evans, Klan national wizard, in connection with the alleged objection of passengers to the presence of Evans' negro servant on a Texas & Pacific passenger train near Marshall yesterday, will not be taken by the railroad, officials said here after a day of investigation. "Nothing found upon which they could base a complaint," it was said.

### PROGRAM FOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SUNDAY

Leader: Miss Andren Betts. Subject: How Jesus Treated Enemies.

Opening Song: Dare to Be a Daniel—No. 187.

Prayer—Miss Anna Fae Henden. Scripture Reading: Luke 23:31; Matt. 5:11-13.

Bible Drill—Christian Endeavor. Response: Reading—Christian Endeavor.

Our Model—Miss Anne Lee Hobbs. What Enemies Have We to Face?

—Mr. Harold Wright. How Jesus Treated Enemies—Miss Luile Betts.

How Can We Get Christ's Attitude toward Enemies?—Miss Martha Mitchell.

Closing Song—Till We Meet Again—No. 130.

Benediction. Our Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday at 7:00 o'clock and we are always open to anyone wishing to join us or visit.

### CONSTABULARY ON DUTY

SHREWSBURY, Conn., Aug. 2.—State constabulary concentrated for near here to prevent further outbreaks between Klan and civilians. All apparently quiet now.

### CHIEF FIGURES IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY.



Below FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, former Assistant Secretary of the Navy, who managed Governor Al Smith's efforts to secure the Democratic Presidential nomination, will act as manager in the East for John W. Davis's Presidential campaign. David Belasco, noted theatrical manager, is seriously ill from a nervous breakdown in a New York City hotel. Princess Maria, youngest daughter of the King and Queen of Italy, is ill with scarlet fever in Rome. A plot to assassinate King Alexander of Serbia has been nipped in the bud in Belgrade.

### RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED WITHOUT PROTEST BY DEMOCRATS OF COUNTY

Be it resolved by the democrats of Limestone county, in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, that we commend the platform of the National Democratic Party passed at the National Democratic convention held at New York as expressing and enunciating the true thesis and science of representative government and pledge our unqualified support to the party principles therein set forth; that we believe that it is the only platform of any party in America today that promises or holds forth any relief whatever to the great toiling masses of farm, factory and field, and offers to solve their problems; that we recognize in the nominees of our National convention for President and vice president, John W. Davis and Charles W. Bryan, the peerless leaders of the great forces of democracy to lead us out of the mire and cess pools of graft and malfeasance in office practiced by the Republican party for the last three years into the lofty plains of clean representative government and crush the evil influence of predatory wealth and special interests thereby redeeming our great nation and placing it back into the hands of the common people.

Be it resolved by the democrats of Limestone county, in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, that we as democrats unqualifiedly endorse each and every nominee of the Democratic party in Texas duly nominated by our party at the primary election held on July 20th, 1924, for state county and precinct offices, and those to be nominated in the run off primary to be held by our party on August 23, 1924, and hereby solemnly pledge our support to them at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday in November ensuing.

Be it resolved that the democrats of Limestone county, in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, do hereby solemnly reaffirm our allegiance to and support of the written constitutional and statutory laws of this nation and state with reference to the question of Prohibition and heretofore announce ourselves as opposed to any change, alteration or modification of same, the effect of which would tend to destroy the effective and proper enforcement of the laws relating thereto.

We also reaffirm our belief in the far sighted wisdom of the people of this nation and state in giving to women equal rights and privileges of franchise with men and commend the noble women of our land in making possible many of the great reforms of progressive democracy.

Be it resolved that the democrats of Limestone county in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, do hereby solemnly pledge ourselves to a strict and rigid enforcement of all the laws of our nation and states constitutional and statutory, by and through the duly elected and constituted authorities chosen to exercise such functions, and by no other method.

Respectfully submitted by your Committee on Resolutions this 2nd day of August, A. D. 1924.

O. F. Watkins, W. P. Alexander, H. H. Alexander.

### Borrowed Gun From Dealer; Killed Self

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 2.—M. G. Langhorne, Henderson, Texas, committed suicide here late yesterday in a hardware store while a clerk was showing him a revolver.

Langhorne entered the shop and asked to see a revolver. The clerk laid a heavy-calibre revolver on the showcase and the customer asked for some cartridges. Langhorne slipped a cartridge in the gun, raised it to his head and pulled the trigger, dying instantly. Identification was made through papers found in his pockets.

### IRISH CONFERENCE FAILS TO AGREE

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Irish conference attempting to solve the border dispute between Ulster and Irish Free State, adjourned here late this afternoon without reaching a decision. No statements were given out and it was obvious that the conference was dissatisfied.

### Smooth Trick To Make A Getaway

DALLAS, Aug. 2.—Faking a fight in the county jail here, and feigning unconsciousness, a prisoner charged with theft made a sensational escape.

First he indulged in the fake fight with another prisoner. Suddenly he fell to the floor, seemingly unconscious. Jailors, after doing what they could, had him taken to a hospital.

No sooner was the "unconscious" man left alone in a room at the hospital, than he leaped out of the window, wearing only his night-clothes, jumped into a passing automobile, and made good his escape.

### FIREMAN KILLED ON DUTY

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Aug. 2.—Tom Hatfield, former city fireman, was crushed to death there early last night when a fire truck on which he was riding collided with another machine.

THE WEATHER Texas.—Generally fair Sunday.

### CROWE LOSES FOR SECOND TIME IN LEOPOLD-LOEB CASE

CRIMINAL COURT, Chicago, Aug. 2.—States Attorney Robert Crowe today failed for the second time to force the mental condition of Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb before a jury while examining Dr. William White, alienist, who appeared in defense of the youths who murdered Robert Franks. Crowe attempted to force the witness to state whether in his opinion the boys were insane. The defense objected and Justice Caverly sustained the objection. Other similar moves were repulsed.

By EDWARD C. DERR (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CRIMINAL COURT, Chicago, Aug. 2.—Playing his cards with the sureness of a master, Clarence Darrow, chief defense attorney in the Leopold-Loeb murder case, is awaiting an opportunity to make a surprise play and rest his case. Darrow feels that his efforts have been so effective thus far that he may not be forced to play out the entire hand as planned.

A new surprise move is expected—a move that will bring the defense case to an abrupt termination. Defense attorneys made it known earlier that plans called for the introduction of evidence by numerous alienists, members of the Leopold and Loeb families, close friends, acquaintances—including boys and girls—and perhaps the boys themselves. The witnesses were to go into the history of the boys and perhaps go even further.

But Darrow, keen observer and crafty player feels elated with his work thus far, and it was made known he feels he does not have to extend much more force to win the victory—the victory being to have Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb sentenced to life in prison.

Several defense alienists remain to testify after Dr. William A. White, Washington, concludes his testimony. Whether Darrow will place more than another one on the stand depends on how he interprets the mood of the court. At present Darrow feels he has established his point—that the youths were not wholly responsible for their crime.

Darrow also believes he has produced sufficient evidence to compel "mitigation of punishment" and observers are inclined to the belief he will bring his case to a close with the same abruptness that he entered his plea of guilty to the murder.

Dr. White's testimony, or rather lecture, on the mental and emotional histories of the boys was easily the most sensational yet produced at the judicial hearing. In a recital crammed with sensation, Dr. White brought out that: "Loeb's objective in the killing was to make it the 'perfect crime.'"

### THIS TIME IT WAS WAGON

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 2.—Roy Ruber, 9, was killed and his companion, John Dawson Jr. and W. T. Green, a teamster were injured when a Kansas City Southern passenger train crashed into a wagon on a grade crossing here. The boys were "hooking" a ride.

### HAILESTORM AT ABILENE

ABILENE, Kan., Aug. 2.—Damage approximating \$50,000 was done by a terrific hail storm which swept this section late Friday. Skylights, windows and automobile tops were wrecked by the hail stones, some of which were two inches in diameter. Crops were damaged over hundreds of acres.

### POLITICAL CHATS

Citizens of Mexia and polltax payers. You well know that you can vote as you please for the man or woman that you want as your public servant in the various offices for state and county, so go to the polls and gratify that wish that you paid \$1.75 to do. If you are not a politician and not looking for pie, why should you worry?

When the election is over you will have to look to one another for your living support, as you have in the past. As none of these in control in the past and none in the future, will help the man on the street tearing his shirt sleeves off for him. You are only making a fool out of yourself and losing your prestige in your own community. So why be a fool for others. Be calm and vote as you please and let others do likewise.—A Voter.

### FERGUSON FORCES FAIL TO CONTROL DELEGATES ASSEMBLED AT GROESBECK

"What a straggler breast plate than a house unpainted. Thrice is he armed that hath his quarrel just. And he but naked whose conscience with injustice is corrupted."

The Limestone County Democratic Convention was called to order in the 7th Judicial District Court room in the Court House at Groesbeck by County Chairman E. A. Allen Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

The convention opened in a storm but closed with the surface of the political waters apparently as placid as if they had never been ruffled by the winds of discussion and debate.

The opening tilt begun when the question was raised as to how the convention was to vote, whether the convention would heed the ballots of duly accredited delegates or whether the bars should be let down and permission granted to everyone present who claimed he was entitled to vote to have a voice and vote in the convention. Dr. R. B. Jackson, in a fiery address made a plea that the convention be conducted as it had always been conducted and that every democrat who had presented himself to the convention as a delegate should be permitted to vote and be given an honor seat as a genuine democrat.

Filled with the humor that characterizes his usual addresses, the convention was soon agog with excitement, and the battle lines began to be drawn when Ben R. Hunt of Mexia also took issue with the doctor, stating that the law should be followed and that none but accredited delegates should be seated and any decision to the contrary was fraught with disaster to the convention system. He urged the Terrell election law to be applied and stated that a ruling from the Attorney General's Department clearly set forth that only duly elected delegates in precinct conventions should be seated in the temporary organizations. Bob Hanna of Groesbeck urged that all who applied for admission should be seated as delegates. Mr. Allen ruled that only duly accredited delegates elected in precinct conventions held on the date specified by the law should have a vote in the convention, sustaining the plea of Mr. Hunt.

The question then before the house was the selection of a temporary chairman. Mr. Hunt placed in nomination A. Garland Adair, whom he described as a young man but one who was loyal to the party and who would ably preside over the deliberations with credit and fairness to the democracy of the county. Bob Hanna then placed in nomination, the name of Hon. W. T. Jackson of Groesbeck, paying a tribute to the nominee and stating that Mr. Jackson was a veteran Limestone County Democrat and one whom they all knew.

The vote was taken by roll call and the results gave Mr. Adair 38 votes while Judge Jackson was given 26.

Mr. Allen appointed Ben Hunt and Tom McLenon, who has been in the county since 1878, to escort Mr. Adair to the chair as temporary presiding officer.

Mr. Adair spoke briefly, sounding the keynote of the convention. He said in part:

"My friends, it is with much embarrassment that I must admit that many of you ladies and gentlemen here assembled do not know me. I wish to assure you that my heart is wrapped up with the best interests of Limestone County. I have resided in the county only four years but hope, God permitting, to live with you much longer. We should not permit division lines to be drawn on youth or age. Our Savior lived to be only 33 years of age but he left the foundation upon which we rest our Christianity today. The time is here when Democrats of every age should stand together in the spirit of loyalty to one another and love for the country. I have just returned from three weeks spent at the National Democratic Convention. I heard the great statesmen of our party plead for clean government. There it was pointed out that the cry of the toiling masses of our country and the plaintiff plea of the war torn world was for clean government. Our party is the only party that can bring relief. The opportunity is golden. Let's not cast it aside and lose the opportunity to serve mankind by the injection of petty matters which have no place in a political convention of the Democratic party, in county, state or nation. Before Democrats can point the fingers of rebuke at those guilty of malfeasance in office in the Republican party, it must demand clean government in convention and in office within its own ranks. In the hopes of having here today a harmonious session in full accord with the aspirations of our great party, we will proceed to the business for which we are here assembled and none other."

The temporary chairman then asked that a temporary secretary be nominated. Fletcher Adair of Groesbeck was unanimously elected.

The chair ruled that only those who had thus far voted would be allowed to vote until the credentials committee had made its report.

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Record crowds are expected to witness the doubles finals here this afternoon the singles windup Sunday.

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## Karem Noblemen Go To Galveston For Shrine Show

Quite a number of Nobles of Karem Shrine of Mexia are expecting to line up with the Waco Karamites in their journey to Galveston for the big show beginning there Monday.

According to W. F. Quebe, recorder of Karem Shrine, at least 500 Shriners, with their families, will be in Galveston next week, coming from all parts of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana. Fort Crockett, with its 22 barracks, will be turned over to the visitors, and squad tents provided for the overflow. Everything from parking spaces for cars to restaurants and lunch counters, and mail, telegraph and telephone service, will be ready for the nobles at the camp, where a \$10 fee will be charged for each person. Every effort is being made to insure reasonable rates in the city for those visitors who do not prefer to use the camp. Arrangements also are being made for nobles who come by automobile to camp in the open with their own equipment.

## LUNCHEON PROGRAMS OF ROTARIANS FOR AUGUST TO BE GOOD

J. W. Elliott, Secretary of the Mexia Rotary club announces the following program committees for the month of August: Lennie Metcalf, David Murphy, Tom Nolan, for the week of August 7; Tom Oates, Pat Patterson, Duke Pittman for the week of August 14; Cap Puckett, Joe Putman, Sanford Smith, for the week of August 21; and Ernest Strance, Leonard Tidwell and Dick Wagner, for the week of August 28.

## STUBBS-McGEE

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hatch and son, Allen, Jr., and Mrs. George Bell are to spend the day in Waxahachie attending the wedding of her brother, Mr. George D. Stubbs of Wortham, well known throughout this section, the son of J. J. Stubbs is the groom and Miss Dorothy McGee of Waxahachie is to be the bride. The happy affair will take place at the home of the bride. She will be remembered by many of this city as the charming and talented pianist who accompanied the Trinity College Glee Club when it rendered its fine program here last spring. Mrs. Hatch and Mr. Bell will lend to the pleasure of the occasion by rendering a duet, preceding the wedding ceremony.

## DOWNSVILLE WILDCAT ATTRACTS ATTENTION

With the Downsville Wildcat test down about 1300 feet, promoters feel much encouraged over the outcome of the operation. They expect a good commercial value of 200 and 1000 feet. The test is about a mile from Moreauville in McLennan County. It has been shut down for a while.

## LIGHT RAIN ALL FOR JULY

Weather Observer Newman reports that the rainfall in this section for July amounted to 0.10, which was a mere sprinkle in the early days of the month. The rainfall for June was not much more than this, which makes two very dry months.

## REVIVAL AT SHILOH

The Baptists will begin a revival at Shiloh August 10. Pastor J. M. Jones will be assisted by Rev. J. M. Hale of Waco. Rev. Hale has had considerable experience in evangelistic work and his meetings are always attended with fine results. Two services will probably be held in the open air.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Renter of Dallas arrived Friday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Denning.

When a man is married to a good woman he doesn't think it necessary to go to church.

## Declares Actress Made "Soul Slave Contract."



REV. J. B. CLARKE.

Beautiful Mary Savage, "New York" motion picture actress, "sold" herself in Los Angeles, "Play" John Bertram Clarke, of New York, in a "soul slave contract," according to the Los Angeles police, following Clarke's arrest there, in the contract she is alleged to have agreed to do whatever he told her to in a social and business way, to see him every day and keep him informed of all her actions. He declares it was merely in his effort to advance her as a screen star.

## High-Up Weather Station at Banff Attracts Many Visitors



On one of the nine peaks of Sulphur Mountain, that stretch over a distance of seven miles and reach a maximum altitude of 8,030 feet at Banff in the Canadian Rockies, stands a staunch 12-foot square hut. It is built of stone with foundations sunk deep into the mountain top, for it must withstand terrific winds, gales of from between forty and sixty miles an hour are common on top of Mt. Sulphur. On its roof is an alidery, steel tower from which observations are taken.

For twenty years this station has been in charge of N. B. Sanson, meteorologist, who faithfully chronicled records of the weather on the mountains and in the surrounding valleys. This twenty years has been replete with interesting experiences, some of them gruelling. Mr. Sanson is a naturalist too, and the Banff Museum contains specimens of almost every bird, beast, reptile, insect, plant and mineral that exists in the district, all collected by him.

He has kept a diary through the years and it is filled with fascinating observations on grouse, rabbits, bear, mountain goats and on strange flowers and lichens. On Sept. 4th he picked strawberries near the mountain's top, and once, in the dead of winter with the mercury at 20 below zero, he

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found two snow spiders walking on the snow. They had spun webs over the hollows made by a man's footprints in the snow and there they entrapped snow-flies.

Guests at Banff will find a visit to this high-up hut and its devoted attendant, a most interesting excursion. Three-fourths of the distance may be made by pony. Scientists, geologists, botanists and nature lovers, delight in listening to Mr. Sanson relate anecdotes incident to life on Banff's look-out. The view from this point is unusually thrilling, a wide vista spreading far in every direction. Mr. Sanson is

also a noted Alpinist and has climbed practically all the peaks in his district.

This is one of the unusual things to do at Banff, another is to bathe in the Government and Banff Springs Hotel glass-enclosed swimming pools that are constantly replenished by hot sulphur water sent up from subterranean springs under Sulphur Mountain. Outdoor bathing is enjoyed twelve months in the year. Another unique sport is that afforded by the Government Golf Course laid out along the Bow River among great mountains and often cloud-enfolded.

# Radio

**Station Call Letters.**  
KDKA, East Pittsburgh, 326.  
KGO, Oakland, 312.  
KGW, Portland, Ore., 492.  
KHL, Los Angeles, 395.  
KPO, San Francisco, 423.  
KSD, St. Louis, 546.  
KFSO, Los Angeles, 278.  
KYW, Chicago, 536.  
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**By DAISEY MAYES**  
(See Station Calls Above)  
Time in Time—Central Standard Time

**TUNE IN TIME TONIGHT**  
AUGUST 3, 1924.  
9:00 to 10:00 p. m.  
KYW, 9:00 Sunday morning service.  
WOC, 9:00 Sacred chimes concert.  
WAAW, 9:00 Chapel service.  
WHAS, 9:57 Organ music.  
10:00 to 11:00 a. m.  
WWJ, 10:00 Services.  
11:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon  
WHIS, 11:00 to 12:30 Services.  
12:00 to 1:00 p. m.  
KHL, 12:00 Sermon from KHL studio.  
KFI, 12:00 to 12:15 Church services.  
WOO, 12:30 Sunday school.  
KYW, 12:30 Studio chapel service.  
KHL, 12:30 to 2:30 Organ recital and service.  
WDAR, 1:00 Shopmen's band.

WDAF, 4:00 to 5:00 Program, Newman theatre.

5:00 to 6:00 p. m.

WFI, 5:30 Services.

WCAE, 5:00 Dinner concert.

WCX, 5:00 Dinner concert.

WIP, 5:30 Services, Holy Trinity church.

WOO, 5:30 Organ recital.

KGO, 5:30 KGO Little Symphony orchestra.

WFAA, 6:00 to 7:00 Radio Bible class.

WCX, 6:45 Services; quartets.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WIP, 7:30 Sunday evening concert.

WOS, 7:30 Missouri State prison band.

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## Costumes This Fall Are Featuring Spanish Influence

The long beltless tunics hold their strong position; fringe and soutache stimulate the Spanish effect. Incongruously the silhouette retains its Indo-Chinese characteristic. It is either a long tube, or it is a tube with the combodian flare, added at the hip to stop at the knee or added at the knee to stop at the hem. This flare is achieved by godets inserted at intervals, pie shaped pieces with point at top or by circular set on sections.

In dresses black is foremost for day wear. Severely plain frocks of satin crepe and nanette Lustre Crepe Satin. Among the wools, plain styles are shown in Kasha and Rep, oddly enough, dark blue the accepted color where rep is employed and is frequently combined with red. Red is much used with black in restrained touches.

Coat styles of dresses in wool and crepe, show a diagonal closing with buttons, fastened at left hip and tailored long sleeves with gauntlet cuffs or the buttoned band running up back of arm for several inches. The models are plain, sometimes with and sometimes without collars.

Fringe is featured prominently. It appears in tired effects in diagonal treatments, to weight scarfs and tunics, and in many ways it strikes the Spanish cord in fashions. A single heavy silk tassel is a note frequently observed in crepe dresses and even coats.

The dress materials of the season deserving emphasis are velvet including artificial and printed varieties, crepe satin and artificial satin and all the corded silks such as faille, poplin and ottoman. Among the crepes are crepe de chine, romaine, maracoin, georgette and nanette. Wool dress fabrics stress kasha, rep and fine twills. For evening there is velvet and satin, net, beaded or embroidered tulle, metal cloth, and brocades, in lace silver and gold flounces.



## THE NEW IN HATS

Very small high crowned shapes with narrow rolled or straight brims shorter at the back than the front. The Spanish influence is emphasized and is featured in the high, flat crowned type of hat with straight sailor brim. These hats are trimmed with a band of gorsprain or ribbon velvet occasionally caught by a nickle or pearl buckle.

Felt reigns supreme and is used in every shade on the color card. Brown however takes precedence. The new brown is a soft new shade of chestnut. In addition, the light pinkish tones of cinimon are endorsed.

Trimings are less and less in vogue and practically all the hats are now featured inconspicuously trimmed with fancy bands. A tuft of wings or a single flower, ribbons, ostrich fantasies, appliques of cut felt, self trimming in velvet ornamental pins, novel animal motifs in nickle, enamel and crystal are featured.

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## MEXIA FIELD IS HOLDING OWN WITH OTHER DISTRICTS

The estimated daily average gross production of the Mid-Continent field, including Oklahoma, Kansas, North Texas, Central Texas, North Louisiana and Arkansas, for the week ended July 28 was 1,010,500 barrels as compared with 1,008,900 barrels for the preceding week an increase of 6,600 barrels. The Mid-Continent production, excluding Smackover, Arkansas, heavy oil was 918,250 barrels, against 911,050 barrels, an increase of 5,200 barrels.

The estimated daily average gross production of the Gulf Coast field was 123,400 barrels, as compared with 120,500 barrels for the preceding week an increase of 2,900 barrels.

The combined daily average gross production of the Southwest field was 1,133,900 barrels, as compared with 1,121,400 barrels for the preceding week, an increase of 9,500 barrels.

Oklahoma-Kansas shows a daily average gross production of 565,650 barrels, an increase of 5,800 barrels; North Texas shows an increase of 500 barrels; Central Texas a decrease of 1,800 barrels; North Louisiana an increase of 300 barrels, and Arkansas an increase of 1,350 barrels. In Oklahoma production of Burbank is shown as 85,200 barrels against 85,300 barrels; Tonkawa 38,150 barrels against 37,000 barrels; Crownwell 48,700 barrels against 44,600 barrels; Stroud 17,500 barrels against 17,000 barrels; and output of the Bristow pool was 50,200 barrels, against 40,750. The Mexia pool, Central Texas is reported at 28,300 barrels; against 28,200 barrels; Corsicana-Powell 28,400 barrels, against 34,300 barrels; Haynesville, North Louisiana, 18,550 barrels, against 18,600 barrels and Smackover, light 38,400 barrels, against 37,800 barrels, heavy 94,250 barrels against 92,850 barrels. In the Gulf Coast field Hull is reported at 19,300 barrels, against 19,300 barrels; West Columbia 10,550 barrels, against 9,950 barrels, and Luling 44,400 barrels, against 40,400 barrels.

The estimated daily average gross production of the Wyoming and Montana field was 122,100 barrels as compared with 122,900 barrels for the preceding week, a decrease of 800 barrels. Salt Creek is reported at 37,800 barrels against 38,600 barrels.

### LIMESTONE DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

We, your committee on delegation, beg to submit the following as delegates to the State convention:

K. S. Black, Thornton  
De. Barnett, Thornton  
C. A. Bates, Thornton  
W. L. Forbes, Koss  
T. A. Griffin, Koss  
Fletcher Allen, Koss  
Jim Francis, Coolidge  
A. J. Hancock, Coolidge  
Jas. Hill, Coolidge  
J. D. McElroy, Coolidge  
Joe Wilson, Muncie  
Scott Reed, Groesbeck  
Carl Cannon, Groesbeck  
Fletcher Adair, Groesbeck  
W. A. Browder, Groesbeck  
S. C. Foster, Groesbeck  
E. A. Allen, Groesbeck  
W. K. Matthews, Watt  
C. W. Moody, Watt  
F. G. Runnels, Prairie Hill  
S. T. Dyer, Prairie Hill  
W. P. Alexander, Prairie Hill  
G. W. Perkins, Mexia  
N. P. Houz, Mexia  
Ben B. Hunt, Mexia  
O. F. Watkins, Mexia  
A. G. Adair, Mexia  
A. H. Kubanks, Mexia  
A. H. Berry, Mexia  
Dave Murphy, Mexia  
Dr. R. B. Jackson, Mexia  
H. H. Alexander, Mustang  
Sam Ellison, Billington  
T. B. Mills, Farrar  
H. W. Mitchell, Kirk  
O. W. Cox, Kirk  
Tom McLendon, Kirk  
Joe Curlee, Ben Hur  
John Hudson, Datura  
E. H. Rankin, Tehuacana  
W. M. Moody, Tehuacana  
J. R. Sellers, Shiloh  
Dean Cox, Fallon  
Earl Hitt, Della  
Geo. Barnett, Oletina  
A. B. Crider, Personville  
B. D. Powell, Big Hill  
Leo Dorsett, Forest Glade  
Mrs. D. Oliver, Groesbeck  
Mrs. C. D. Kelly, Groesbeck  
Mrs. J. K. Stroud, Groesbeck  
Mrs. J. D. Whiteside, Groesbeck  
Mrs. R. D. Morgan, Mexia  
Mrs. G. M. Thowel, Mexia  
Mrs. J. D. Arrington, Mexia  
Mrs. W. M. White, Mexia  
Mrs. O. F. Watkins, Mexia  
Mrs. J. T. Satterwhite, Mexia  
Mrs. L. S. Suttle, Mexia  
Mrs. R. L. Hancock, Coolidge  
Respectfully submitted,  
A. H. Berry,  
E. A. Allen,  
J. D. McElroy,  
Committee.

Miss A. Martin, of Oklahoma, is the charming visitor of Mrs. Bob Pratt on Ross avenue.

### OLD JURIST DEAD

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 2.—George Shedd, former associate judge United States Supreme Court, died in a hospital here Saturday after a lingering illness, aged 92.

## Great Evangelistic Party Coming to Mexia Christian Church



The Vawter Evangelistic Company

C. R. L. Vawter is one of our best known evangelists. For sixteen years he has been holding revival meetings all over the United States, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand. Has had as many as 500 additions in a single church meeting. Especially does he appeal to men because of his logical reasoning power. Through his sermons his Irish wit is in evidence, and his sermons are intensely interesting. The musical party will add much to the services. They have a four and one-half octave Marimba-Xylophone and a set of Organ Chimes. The biggest and showiest instrument in the evangelistic field. They surely command the attention of the public. This meeting will begin early in September and continue about three weeks. Further announcement will be made later.

## FERGUSON FORCES FAIL TO CONTROL DELEGATES ASSEMBLED AT GROESBECK

The successful candidates for governor and the other for the other candidate to be voted on in the approaching primary. The chair listened to arguments on both sides of the substitute and then ruled Mr. Hanna out of order, stating that according to the convention system of the Democratic party the delegation committee would make only one report and then if someone desired to substitute another list that that would be the proper way to get the subject before the house.

As to the delegation committee, the chair stated that every delegation seeking a seat in the convention should submit its statement and credentials to the credentials committee, giving the deliberative body an opportunity to pass on the question and thus expedite matters considerably, assuring justice and fair play to all.

An amendment was then offered to the motion that the chair also appoint a committee of three on permanent organization.

The motion as amended prevailed with the opposition remaining silent.

The committees appointed were as follows:

Resolutions: Owen F. Watkins, W. P. Alexander and H. H. Alexander; Delegation: Albert H. Berry, E. A. Allen and J. D. McElroy; Credentials: Tom L. Cox, C. W. Moody and Steve F. Collins; Permanent Organization: L. S. Suttle, W. C. Cook and T. J. Cole.

The committees were instructed to meet at once in rooms in the court house, following which a motion prevailed to adjourn until one o'clock.

The hour was spent with both sides working among the delegates to sound out how they stood on what had been done. When the convention reassembled at one o'clock, it was apparent from the outset that friends had been gained by the eloquent address of Ben B. Hunt, who had served as floor leader for the majority in all the deliberations of the body. His address was the subject on almost all lips and the convention generally was impressed with the fact that an endeavor was being earnestly made to proceed in a manner, fully in accord with law and in the spirit of fairness to all.

The convention met with the feeling that a real tilt was to feature the afternoon session. The chair called for a report from the committee on permanent organization. The committee recommended that the temporary chairman and secretary be made permanent. The motion prevailed with the opposition remaining silent when the vote on the negative was put, L. S. Suttle placing the motion before the house.

The chair then thanked the body for the confidence reposed in him and stated that he hoped that the deliberations of the convention would remain free from bitterness and that all would remember that they had come to represent and serve the best interests of the Democratic party, which sentiment he was sure was concurred in by the delegates present.

He called for a report from the committee on credentials. The report was made by Tom L. Cox. Since Koss was not listed with the accredited delegates, Jim Bradley moved that the delegation from that point be seated. The chair asked the credentials committee whether Koss had presented credentials to them.

Mr. Cox, replying for the committee, stated that none had been presented. A delegate from New Hope then was recognized stating that he was there without any credentials and that if Koss was seated, every box in the county that had not held a precinct convention would be entitled to a seat but that he thought that the principle of protesting conventions by the law should be followed. The chair ruled Mr. Bradley's motion out of order, stating that he

and indicated that he intended to say something for that candidate. The chair ruled him out of order, stating that since the State Committee had not made its official announcement of whom would be the nominees in the second democratic primary it would be unbecoming of a convention to involve itself into a wrangle over any candidate for governor, that to tolerate such a discussion would accomplish no end. This shut off discussion along that line and prevented any other from attempting to discuss either Ferguson or Robertson or any other candidate whose name is now before the Democrats of the county and state.

Dr. R. B. Jackson's name was recommended to be added to the list of delegates by Jim Bradley with all members of the delegation committee. No objection was raised and the report was accepted with the opposition not voicing a protest.

The County Chairman, E. A. Allen then submitted the report of the results of the election of last Saturday.

Ben Hunt moved that the delegates to the state convention be instructed to vote as a unit, which motion prevailed without opposition.

Tom McLendon then offered a motion to thank the chair for his fair and righteous services as chairman of the convention, which motion prevailed without opposition.

Ben Hunt then moved to adjourn.

## Alexander College Changed Its Name

JACKSONVILLE, Texas, Aug. 2.—Alexander college here, as it has been known for more than half a century, will be known hereafter as the Lox Morris College, according to a scheduled announcement today.

Name of the college was changed to honor the Reverend Alonzo Morris, Pittsburgh, Texas, who endowed the school to the amount of \$100,000. Reverend Morris has also recently made large gifts to the S. M. U. at Dallas and Southwestern university at Georgetown.

The name of the college was changed by the board of trustees under a provision by the Reverend Isaac Alexander, founder of the school, who indicated before his death that it was his wish that the school should bear the name of the person who should settle a large endowment upon the institution.

Mrs. J. F. Kendall from Brownwood, Texas, is visiting Mrs. W. R. Hodges on Milam street.

## JEFFRIES HOLDS SURGEONS AND THE GUSHERS WIN GAME

Nugent was wild, while Jeffries was in great form and held the Surgeons in the pinches. Ned Seely led the Gushers attack with two drives over the right field fence. Jeffries fanned eleven Surgeons and on six different occasions fanned his man for the third out and in the second, third, seventh, eighth and ninth innings struck out two batters when the Surgeons threatened to score. The Gushers will play Temple again Sunday at 3:30 o'clock.

Temple	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lance 3 b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Bryan c f	4	0	2	3	1	0
Brown r f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Lind 1 b	4	0	1	8	3	0
Liesner 1 f	4	0	1	0	0	1
Windham 2 b	4	0	1	6	4	1
Bush s s	4	0	0	2	5	1
Henderson c	4	0	1	4	2	1
Nugent p	3	9	0	0	2	0

Total	24	0	7	24	17	4
Mexia	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Geppert s s	3	0	0	1	3	0
Butler c f	2	1	0	0	1	0
Jones 3 b	3	1	1	1	4	0
Seely r f	4	2	3	3	0	0
Fowlkes 1 f	3	1	0	0	0	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Naylor 1 b	1	1	1	9	1	0
Williamson c	4	1	1	10	1	0
Jeffries p	3	0	2	1	2	0

Total	26	7	8	27	13	0
Temple	000	000	000	000	0	0
Mexia	020	002	21	7	0	0
Home runs—Seely 2. Two-base hits—Liesner. Stolen bases—Lind. Strike outs—By Nugent 4, Jeffries 11. Bases on balls—Off Nugent 7, Jeffries 1.						

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and this will be followed with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

This is his last night of the cooperative services and a change of schedule is necessary because Dr. Hudson is out of town. Rev. Aubrey will preach at the Christian church, and Rev. Reaves will preach at the Methodist church. These services begin at 8:15 p. m.

The Sunday school and Leagues will meet at their appointed hours.

The pastor starts on his vacation Monday and will be away two Sundays.

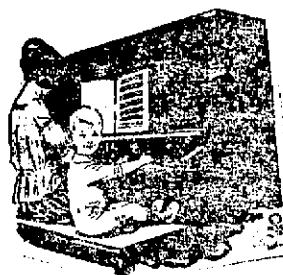
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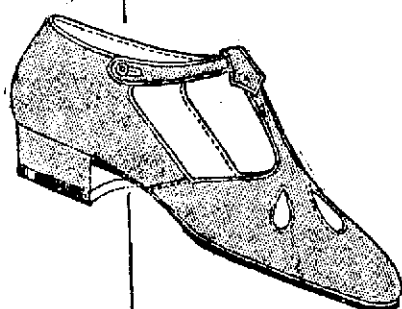


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—Dudley Buck—Sung by Miss Bernadine Aubrey.

Evening service a Cooperative Service at First Christian Church.

Rev. Aubrey will preach on "The Sins of the Saints."

Sunday school will be held each Sunday morning at 9:45 a. m. during August but no other services will be held at Central Presbyterian church unless announcement is made of same. Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey and baby accompanied by Miss Bernadine Aubrey of Denison, Texas, will leave on their vacation August 5th to be away for the remainder of August. Rev. Aubrey plans to visit his mother at Denison first. From Denison they plan to go to Wolfe City for a visit to the home of Mrs. Aubrey. Regular services resumed the first Sunday in September.

ANOTHER NEW HOME.

Dr. W. Duke Pittman is building a new home on North Kaufman street, just north of his father's home, which will cost, besides the lot, about \$6000. Thus the building of homes in Mexia goes steadily forward.

LADIES DAY.

Monday will be ladies day at Gusher Park. All ladies are admitted free. Monday game starts at 4 p. m., Mexia versus Temple.

Patterson's Column

AT ALMOST every club luncheon

AND AT every meeting of the

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BEEN FOR a long time much

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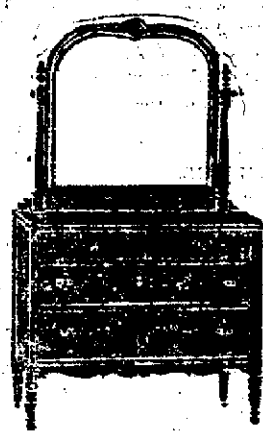
CAPITAL LETTERS—I thank you.

—PATTERSON.

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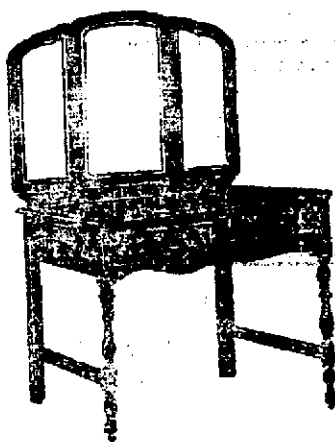
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## "For Mexia, I WILL"

### INDUSTRY BEGETS INDUSTRY.

That industry begets industry, is reflected in the attitude of folks everywhere following the consummation of some certain hope. For example, the building of a cotton mill in Mexia this year will be just the beginning of a great industry here. After it is built, then there'll be another. At least that's the way Waco looks at it. In the Waco News-Tribune of Saturday, there appeared the following comment:

The people of Waco read with interest the story Friday of the concrete steps taken in preparing to build the new Texas cotton mill at Mexia.

Mexia has had the matter under consideration for a year or more, and now the charter has been granted with a capital stock of \$450,000, the plant to manufacture cotton goods. J. K. Hughes, one of the three incorporators mentioned, is one of the 100 directors of the Texas Centennial, having been chosen from the Waco district, and W. V. Crawford is the other director from the district.

People of Mexia showed their faith in the cotton mill industry by putting up the cold cash. Waco just now has an opportunity to land another big cotton mill, and it is believed that the chance will not be neglected. As soon as business men return to Waco from their vacations definite and final action is to be taken.

### KIWANIS CLUBS TO WORK FOR VOTE

A vigorous campaign to get all voters to vote in the fall elections is being planned by all the Kiwanis clubs of the country, in accordance with policies which have been adopted by Kiwanis International at a meeting just concluded here.

In 1896 80% of all those eligible voted in the presidential elections; in 1900, 73% voted; in 1908 the percentage decreased to 66%; in 1912 there was a further decrease to 62%; and in 1920 less than 50% of the voters exercised their franchise.

"This campaign," said Victor M. Johnson, newly elected president of Kiwanis International, "will be to urge all citizens to express the desires of the entire people, and not less than half of them. A continuation of the present low voting percentage would certainly lead to the impracticabilities and danger of a radical minority. The work of the clubs will be part of our general campaign to promote an intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship."

"There is no partisanship in this campaign, and no fund is being raised to carry it on. Members of each of the 1250 Kiwanis Clubs will work in their communities, purely on a basis of developing this much needed citizenship."

All civic clubs in Limestone County would render a high service by joining with the Kiwanis club in this worthy endeavor.

### FARMERS LISTEN TO COUNTY AGENTS.

"There was a time when the county agricultural agent was not regarded as essential. Farmers looked upon him with suspicion," declares the Greenville Banner. His ideas were called "new tangled" and impractical. Many resented any tendency to change them from practices that had been handed down to them from generations back.

Gradually, especially in the prosperous and most progressive counties of this state and nation as well, this attitude has been changed. The farmer sends his sons to an agricultural college in order to make it possible for them to compete with the educated, scientific farmer of tomorrow and they heed the county agent just as they insist upon their own children heeding the words of the teachers in school.

The county agent that devotes the major portion of his time toward teaching the most advanced ideas in farming is sure to render his constituency a valuable service and by him and his efforts home conditions in rural sections will be bettered.

His duties should be and are generally along extension lines and in distributing information helpful in all fields of farm endeavor.

Limestone County needs such an agent, if she would go forward rapidly and keep abreast with the best.

### IMMORTAL STORIES FOR YOUTH AND AGE

Children of America lost a dear friend when Palmer Cox passed away. His old figures came to be quite well known in the juvenile world, just like the illustrious characters chronicled in Alice of Wonderland, Palace of Oz and other popular children's stories. Cox has departed but he has left his footprints on the sands of time in his Brownie stories. They will live throughout the generations yet unborn when children will still be told of and believe in kingdoms and palaces and other worlds in the realm of imagery far beyond the hills of dreamland. With all their wonderful talents offering stories throbbing with interest to the children of the world, however, no writers have ever equalled the story of Joseph as told in the Bible. No parent can find anything so grippingly fascinating to youth and age alike as that marvelous story told in God's Holy Word.

## THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

### THESE DAYS IN WHICH WE LIVE

The Texas Christian Advocate  
A marked characteristic of the day in which we live is the revolt against authority, and the breaking down, in

too many instances, of the standards which have hitherto been maintained. That the seeds of decay are in our civilization no one will be destroyed and that paganism will overcome Christianity is to overlook the fact

that there is in Christianity itself that conquering power which will make such an undesirable situation impossible. However, it must be said that Christianity unless it is embodied and in a militant state cannot overcome the forces of evil which are to be found on every hand in this day. All impotent and inconsequential Gospel is powerless to cope with the task. The love of leisure that is in itself destructive of some of our highest and most cherished ethical conceptions is one of the powerful factors shaping the thinking of the day. In spite of all our efforts there yet remains in America a vast portion of the population that is not directly affected by the influence of the Church. The solution of the problem of course is to bring these people more directly under the power of the Gospel and the influence of the Church. Just how that is to be done is of course, the very heart of the problem. But that it must be done it would seem that all will heartily agree.

Professor Joseph A. Leighton, in chapter entitled "The Recrudescence of Paganism," in his book, "Religion and the Mind of Today," gives utterance to these words, which will give pause to every thoughtful reader; "No great civilization has ever outlasted the demise of its religious faith. If the moral bases of our culture are in imminent danger, the danger can be averted only by a new crusade on behalf of social righteousness and personal integrity, animated by a religious view of life. I need not remind you that here the Christian and the Jew stand together on the common ground of a prophetic ethical religion, whose controlling principle of faith and action is the vision of a righteous social order, the Kingdom of God."

In this connection it is not at all out of place to call attention to that homely and neglected doctrine—the doctrine of repentance. The glorious Gospel of the blessed God—as Paul prefaces to it—is sufficient for the needs of this day, and is the only solvent.

### HACK WILSON, OF GIANTS REAL FIND FOR MCGRAW

(By International News Service)

NEW YORK, July 31.—Every once in a while a youngster comes into the big league and makes good. This year Hack Wilson, outfielder of the Giants, short and pudgy, but with a pair of shoulders like a wrestler, is the "star" of the National League. Wilson is a fixture. He is at the head of Rogers Hornsby for batting honors, can field his position like a veteran and is the "spark plug" of the older circuit. Wilson's specialties are three-base hits—very timely hits. McGraw got him from the Virginia League, and he did not cost a fortune, like some of the "flippers" who also tried to graduate from the minors.

The brain of an elephant is larger than that of a man, but his trunk is smaller than that of a woman.

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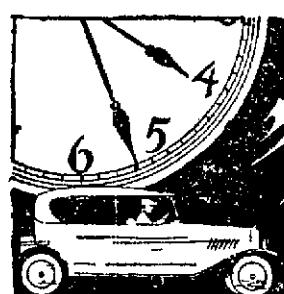
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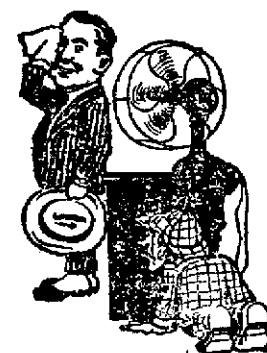
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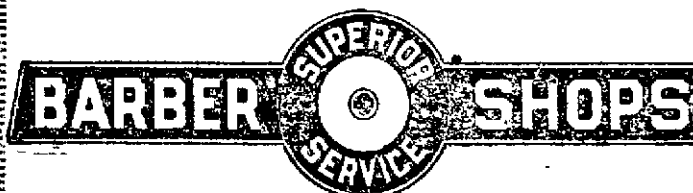
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# TEXAS INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

All indications point to better prices for farm crops, more normal farm labor conditions and above all greater purchasing power for the farmer's dollar than for years past. This condition is coming about through natural rather than artificial means and will produce sound business for a long time.

**Baton-Kirby Petroleum Company's** Hodges No. 2 comes in at depth of 3,008 feet, producing 1,000 barrels of 25-gravity oil daily.

**Eagle Pass**—Plans and specifications completed for reconstruction of \$250,000 international steel vehicle and foot bridge connecting Piedras Nuevas, Mexico, and this town.

**San Antonio**—Additions to be built to Mark junior school building and Thomas Nelson Page school building.

**Houston**—\$5,000,000 fig crop estimated for Houston territory this season.

**Sherman**—Building at corner of Travis and Wall streets being improved.

**San Antonio**—Alamo Heights Presbyterian congregation plans erection of \$80,000 church.

**Austin**—State highway commission to spend \$450,000 for new road equipment.

**Denison**—1,000,000-gallon standpipe to be erected.

**Port Arthur**—Ship canal, below Texas Company terminals, being dredged to depth of 30 feet.

**San Antonio**—City experiencing home-building boom.

**Texas** to ship 335,000 head of cattle within next six months.

**Navasota**—\$75,000 bond issue voted for paving streets.

**Port Arthur**—Port Arthur Ice & Refrigeration Company to expend \$35,000 for plant improvements.

**Richland**—Oxford Oil Company's Davis No. B-1 comes in making 1,200 barrels daily.

**Dilley**—Estimates being prepared for construction of Dilley-Engle Pass highway; contract to be let in Oct.

**Smithville**—New high school building nearing completion.

**San Antonio**—Store building to be erected on Main street at cost of \$10,500.

**Dallas**—Preliminaries under way for paving fourth group of streets under \$1,250,000 bond issue.

**Texas** wool crop this year estimated at 22,000,000 pounds, according to experienced growers.

**Houston**—Largest interlocked traffic signal system in world being installed here.

**Smithville**—Permit granted for organization of \$500,000 cotton mill company.

**Largest cantaloupe crop** in history of Webb county being harvested.

**Graham**—\$10,000 hospital building to be erected.

**Kleburg**—School building under construction.

**Mexia**—Belknap street being paved.

**Austin**—\$300,000 Masonic temple to be erected.

**Fort Worth**—Nine-story 400-room Methodist hospital to be built at cost of \$1,000,000.

**Dallas**—Work to start in 60 days on construction of \$300,000 12-story hotel building.

**Waco**—Work to start soon on athletic stadium and gymnasium for Waco high school.

**Dallas**—General Motors Truck Corporation to build \$10,000 structure.

**Floydada**—1,000 cars of extra high-grade wheat shipped from Floyd county.

**Port Neches**—Kansas City Southern depot to be under construction soon.

**Laredo**—Street car system extending lines.

The general taxpayer must make up to the government the amounts which it loses through inability to tax the income from billions of tax-exempt bonds.

Now is the time for greatest fire caution in forests and persons guilty of negligence with fire in forests should be dealt with severely.

As a matter of fact, industries operated politically for a favored few are paid for by the many through taxation. The average citizen may not realize this until he stops to figure it out—but he pays the bill just the same.

**Slidell, Louisiana**—Fine opening here for cannery factory for strawberries, beans, shrimp and fish. Two trunk line railroads, river and ocean boats. Cheap land estimated to clear \$100 an acre on beans or strawberries. 7 miles from New Orleans. Address: Slidell Sun, Slidell, Louisiana.

**BONHAM**—New cable for the local telephone company is expected to arrive here any day and the work of improving the telephone service here is under way.

**MIDLAND**—C. C. Watson, editor of the Reporter here in his paper this week reports his twenty-five years in that position and describes the progress of Midland for a quarter of a century.

**ARILENE**—The West Texas Utilities Company has extended electric service to Benjamin, county seat of Knox County, by the building of a 15,000 volt transmission line from Knox City.

**HOUSTON**—The new building of the Houston Dispatch, the paper edited by Col. George Buckley, is to be built in the industrial district where railroad facilities are available to handle paper without use of trucks.

**CHILDRESS**—A high tension transmission line connecting the power stations of the Texas Central Power Company in this territory is to be built. Franchise for such a line has been granted in this county.

**BONHAM**—C. R. Inglish is now

## Simplicity Marks Coolidge's Life; President Keeps His Modest Home In Town Where He Rose to Fame



HALF THIS DOUBLE HOUSE IS COOLIDGE HOME IN NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

Simplicity and reserve are outstanding characteristics of Calvin Coolidge.

Of humble origin, he has risen to the heights along a self-blazed trail, without evidence of pomp or circumstance. Even after he had attained high public office, it was his desire to live modestly as a "plain American" and as an inspiration to those who bear his name.

Always the farmer boy, the nation's Chief Executive retains his keen affection for Vermont's rolling hills and never is he more content than he is at home among his own people.

"Vermont is my birthright," he has said. "Here one gets close to nature, in the mountains, in the brooks, the waters of which hurry to the sea; in the lakes, shining like silver in their green setting; fields tilled not by machinery, but by the brain and hand of man. My folks are happy and contented. They belong to themselves, live within their income and fear no man."

The modesty of Calvin Coolidge has been manifested throughout his career. When he first went from Northampton, Mass., to Boston as an obscure member of the State Legislature, he sought out an inside room on the upper floor of a hotel. There he found the seclusion he loved and the arrangement satisfied his idea of thrift. After his service in the State Legislature, when the citizenry of Massachusetts selected him as a candidate for governor, those who noticed him of his nomination found him in the same unpretentious place.

And after his election to the family home in Northampton, half of a modest two-family dwelling, renting for thirty-two dollars a month, was retained. Officialdom might have been

somewhat surprised by this decision. The good folk of Northampton who had watched the progress of their adopted son were not. The wooden house was good enough for the Governor and Mrs. Coolidge agreed with him.

Then came the nomination for the Vice-Presidency, and subsequent election to that responsible office. The good folk of Northampton then thought surely they would lose their neighbor. They did not. The Vice-President-elect went to Washington and rented a suite in the Willard Hotel, but the vens never backed up to the doors of the Northampton house. It remained Vice-President Coolidge's home.

When fate ordained that Calvin Coolidge be vested with the Presidency, the White House his official residence, things looked somewhat dubious for the modest home in

Northampton. History has recorded the President's attitude. His widowed mother-in-law occupies the half-house, but it is still Home Sweet Home to the Coolidge family.

The folk of Northampton are the President's neighbors. He is jealous of his association with them and the affection is reciprocated. This regard for his people is reflected more eloquently perhaps than in any other way by a letter he wrote to James Lucey, a town cobbler, with whom he often talked before going to Washington the first time. Lucey, whose quaint philosophy often had helped the President, received this word; just after his "Cal" became President:

"Not often do I see you or write you but I want you to know that if it were not for you I should not be here and I want to tell you how much I love you. Do not work too much now and try to enjoy yourself in your well-earned hours of age."

manager of the Daily Favorite here and Ashley Evans is editor. Mr. Spotts, the principal owner, is devoting much of his attention to the business of the Harbin-Spotts Publishing Company at Richardson.

**DENTON**—A large crew of workmen is employed in this city by the Texas Power and Light Company constructing the high tension transmission line between Dallas and Bowie where it will connect with the lines of the Wichita Falls Electric Company.

**BROWNSVILLE**—An electrically operated cotton gin that has been in service here for three years is pointed out by the management to be the first in the lower Rio Grande Valley. A new gin at San Benito was recently referred to as the first electric gin in the valley.

**MEXIA**—The transmission lines of the Community Power and Light Company are now completed to connect the plants at Marlin and Mexia and several others on the system. Each station served is connected with all the power plants of the company.

### OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

India has nearly 10,000,000 fewer women than men.

It is said that women now comprise the majority of all workers in the vast textile industry of England.

An up-to-date barber shop exclusively for women has been installed in a leading hotel in Houston, Texas.

Gadshill Place, famous as the last

home of Charles Dickens, has been transformed into a boarding school for girls.

With a dog as her principal companion, an Englishwoman recently

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Mrs. Abbie H. Roberson, prominent clubwoman of Brattleboro, is the first woman to seek a seat in the

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The "Grand Old Woman of Methodism" is a title bestowed upon Mrs. L. M. Fields, now in her ninetieth year, who has attended the Des Plaines (Ill.) camp meeting regularly for more than half a century.

Mary Anderson de Navarro, the once famous American actress, will reach her 65th birthday anniversary on July 28. For many years she has lived in quiet retirement at her country home in Worchestershire, England.

Miss Virginia C. Gildersleeve, dean of Barnard College and one of the most brilliant of American women educators, has been nominated for the presidency of the International Federation of University Women which is about to open its third biennial convention at Christiania.

There are some women in New York who earn their living simply by shopping. These women are the "price testers" employed by the big stores. Their work consists in visiting stores selling similar goods to those sold by their employers and purchasing or closely examining articles so that relative prices and quality may be compared.

The Queen of Spain has a wonderful dolls' house, given to her by her godmother, the late ex-Empress Eugenie of France. It is an exact model to scale of the Tuilleries, and was constructed at a cost of \$7,500. Queen Ena keeps this dolls' house, which is among her most prized possessions in the royal palace at Madrid.

Queen Mary is said to be far more economical in the matter of clothes than is generally understood. Periodically she makes a personal inspection of her wardrobe, in order to decide what clothes shall be reserved for wear on subsequent occasions and what shall be disposed of as no longer required. Much of the lace used upon her gowns belongs to her very private collection, and as soon as it has served its purpose it is carefully removed by her maids and packed away for use on some subsequent occasion.

Cotton Exchange was a visitor to Mexia Friday.

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Case Of Baseball Vs Golf and Tennis

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—As they come down the back-stretch in the major league baseball races, it begins to look more than ever like the Giants and the Yanks for the world series. And my guess would make the Giants favorites in the big series.

A few weeks ago this column said the Yanks were fading fast, but would probably muster strength enough to pull out and win the 1934 pennant. It still looks that way. Naturally, there is an "if". That is the saving grace in baseball.

Huggins must have luck and comparative freedom from injuries if he gets under the wire ahead. He isn't getting much pitching, but the Yanks pack a terrific punch and the team is hitting again. But a blanket would cover the first four clubs, and Huggins knows that if the Yanks stab their toe, all seven of their competitors will "nut the boots" to his noble athletes if they get three points down. And they'll chance a foul, at that.

So much for the Yanks, who, before the season began, were runaway favorites.

The good, old Giants? The experts, April 1, said John McGraw had only an old glove, his personal brain and a band of "has-beens and never-wases", fitted only for the old folks' home. They turned the Giants loose in the cellar and invited seven other clubs to go out there up.

Well, the Giants and bleachers, along in front and look certain to top Cincinnati, packed by many to beat the Giants and be in the series he failed. When G. Over Alexander batted his way the Cubs had an awful blow. The Pirates pulled up but they didn't seem to have the stuff to win against the Giants.

On form, the Giants were beaten when the ump called "Play ball!" in April. Cincinnati had the call. Then, in stepped Lady Luck. When late begins to give a ball team a kick in the seat of the pants, the only refuge is a complete. If there is any ball team that isn't, then the Giants, who didn't get it, it was being saved up for the presidential race. Pitchers were strong, infielders were solid, a black cat attended every game and sat on the Red Sox bench.

The fact is that the Giants and the most of the other teams in the so-called "national" game. On a recent Sunday, with the Braves as opponents, the Yanks played, under a perfect sky, to a score as many as eight a full seat.

The links were crowded, the tennis courts had huge waiting lines and the country roads were thick with everything from tourists to the most expensive reputation.

Maybe this was the Yank and Braves collision. The stadium was full. But meanie McGraw is to have a new strategy. Golf courses that will give me a thousand a course to play in. Some of these day, public or semi-public golf courses will be a plentiful and a sound thing. A golf course is a good thing, and it is a good thing, they will be the most.

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James W. Boss, Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Texas, today announced that his office has begun to issue and mail out checks for the refund of the 25% reduction of Federal income taxes paid in full for the 1934, as provided by the Act of 1921.

This bill was signed by the President and became law on June 22. The first checks covering refunds were mailed out July 29th.

It was necessary to list nearly 30,000 accounts, showing the names and addresses, serial number of returns, total amount of tax paid and the one fourth due to be refunded. Then the list had to be forwarded to the Department for approval and returned for payment. A check is then mailed to the taxpayer.

Upon receipt of the list it was necessary for the Treasury Department to make a check and issue instructions to the post office for the 65 cents.

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tion districts throughout the United States. Upon receipt of the preliminary instructions, Collector Boss states that his office began immediately on this work, although it was at the time of the June 15th quarter, and that when final procedure had been arrived at and upon receipt of same on Monday, June 30th, immediately began the completion of the lists, getting off 2,000 items to the Department the next day, July 1st, and finishing the entire number of 30,000 items Saturday, July 18th. His office received 1600 from the Bureau yesterday, approved, and checks have gone out to cover. He expects to get all refunds out within the very near future. After this is completed the matter of credits on accounts not paid in full will be handled prior to September 1st so that the taxpayers may get the benefit thereof and receive a correct bill for the September 15th quarterly payment.

Collector Boss was much pleased by the service given these taxpayers by his office and the Treasury Department. He stated that the taxpayers might not appreciate the effort required on the part of the Collector's office force to handle this matter so promptly but in keeping with the desire of the Treasury Department to make this refund promptly his force worked overtime and at night to accomplish it.

Tonsils and Adenoids  
Letter No. 6  
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IS YOUR CHILD HANDICAPPED?

Does your child's nose run or is it sore? Does the child snuffle? Are the eyes red? Are there fever sores or eczema around the nose and mouth?

Does the child seem dull? Does it stand and look at you with open mouth?

Does it put its hands to its head as though it had earache? Does it take cold easily?

Does the child sleep with its mouth open? Does it snore?

If the answer to any of these is Yes, ask the doctor if the child has adenoids or large tonsils.

Tonsils  
Tonsils often become diseased and stick out into the throat. Sometimes they do not get any larger but become diseased and contain little cups filled with infection. These diseased tonsils often hold poisonous germs which may cause throat trouble or which may be carried to other parts of the body and cause sickness.

Adenoids  
Adenoids look like a little head of cauliflower, colored red. They grow in the back part of the throat where the nose and throat join, and can be seen only by the doctor with a special mirror. They stop up the nose and make the child breathe through its mouth.

When the child breathes through the mouth, much dust and many germs get into the body.

Adenoids should always be removed.

Earache  
Earache often means that the child has adenoids. Earache always means that the child is in danger of getting deaf. Also the child is in danger of getting a running ear and there is danger of the disease reaching the brain. A running ear should always be treated by an ear doctor. It will not get well without good care.

Large Glands  
Often poison gathers in the nose, throat or ear. The glands of the neck try to carry this poison away. This overwork makes the glands enlarge and lumps often form.

Other Diseases  
Diseases of tonsils and adenoids hold poisonous germs which frequently are carried to other parts of the body and cause sickness. Rheumatism and heart disease often come in this way. These germs also cause stomach, bowel or lung disease.

A child with adenoids and diseased tonsils can get diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and whooping cough very easily. Such a child will have the disease worse than a child who has had adenoids and diseased tonsils removed.

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TOM GIBBONS MAKING REAL HIT IN ENGLAND

(By International News Service)  
LONDON, July 31.—Tom Gibbons, the St. Paul fighter, is creating a furor in England. Tom is to meet Jack Bloomfield on August 9. They are betting 5 to 1 that the American will win. Tom is endearing himself in the hearts of the Englishmen, and he has displaced Georges Carpentier, French idol, as the favorite foreign fighter.

The English have made Tom very comfortable. He is training in the exclusive London Country Club, where he has luxurious quarters and inveterate lackies at his command. What a contrast to the training quarters in Montana, where Tom prepared a year ago for his championship go with Jack Dempsey.

TOT, 3, GETS MEDAL FOR SAVING ANOTHER'S LIFE

(By International News Service)  
MASSENA, N. Y., July 31.—For bravery in saving the life of three-year-old William Ward, who fell into the Racquet River on the morning of March 20, Dorothy Olive Peden,

also three, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peden, today is the recipient of a bronze hero medal.

The presentation was made, on behalf of St. Louis' Hero Commission, by Rev. F. O. Cunningham.

William fell into the river through the ice while walking across, accompanied by Dorothy and her five-year-old brother. The brother ran away, but Dorothy reached down and helped her playmate out.

Though she was brave enough in the face of danger, Dorothy was awed by the crowd when her name was called to receive the medal, and her mother had to lead her to the platform.

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LYNCH DAVIDSON STILL CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

Lynch Davidson, of Houston, born in Limestone County, is yet hopeful of being in the run off gubernatorial primary the latter part of this month. He declares that he will lead for second place when the official count is made on August 11, in Dallas. "Nothing short of an official count" will determine who is the winner, he stated.

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## PALESTINE WINS IN GAME WITH GROESBECK GOATS

The fast Palestine baseball team defeated the Groesbeck Goats at Nowlin Park Friday afternoon 6 to 1. The Palestine team is composed of a number of college players and it is a fast aggregation.

Polvogt, a little right hander, was in the box for the East Texas boys and he pitched superb ball allowing the Goats but four hits, two of these coming in the ninth inning after one was down. The first was in the second inning and the other in the third. Polvogt struck out six men.

Clarence Tiner was in the box for the Goats and whiffed eight men. He was touched for twelve hits, three coming in the ninth when the Palestine boys scored four runs.

Dewey Smalley, former Texas third baseman, and playing third for Palestine was the hitting hero of the day with three singles and a triple in five times at bat. Charles Swartz and H. Williamson also hit well, Swartz getting three singles and Williamson getting two singles and a two-base hit.

Sniper Connolly, manager of the Goats, an old Baylor star, playing centerfield for the Goats turned in one of the prettiest catches ever witnessed at Nowlin Park. In the eighth inning with two men on base, Ferguson, hit a long high fly to right center which Connolly finally got under in time to spear it from over his head and then fell headlong against the fence. But he held the ball, thus retiring the side.

Manager Connolly stated that they were likely to play a game or two here with the Mart Maulers some time next week but that announcements would be made to that effect.

Palestine	ab	r	h	p	a	e
H. Williamson c	5	1	3	1	0	0
Cherry 1 f	5	1	0	0	0	0
C. Williamson 2 b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Wolf 1 b	5	1	0	16	0	0
Smalley 3 b	5	2	4	0	2	0
Swartz s s	5	1	3	0	3	0
Hale r f	5	0	0	2	0	0
Ferguson c	4	0	1	5	0	0
Polvogt p	5	0	1	1	5	0
Total	41	6	12	27	13	1

Groesbeck	ab	r	h	p	a	e
Pierson 2 b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Strickland 3 b	4	1	1	1	2	0
S. Connolly c	4	0	1	2	0	0
Mimick 1 b	4	0	0	2	0	0
Farley s s	4	0	0	2	3	0
Hornbeck 1 f	3	0	2	0	0	0
R. Connolly	3	0	1	0	0	0
Scheiffer c	3	0	0	8	0	1
Tiner p	3	0	0	0	3	0

Total	31	1	4	27	10	3
Palestine	000 020 004—6					
Groesbeck	000 000 001—1					

Three-base hits—Smalley, Two-base hits—H. Williamson, S. Connolly. Strike outs—By Polvogt 8, Tiner 8. Base on balls—Off Polvogt 1. Hit batsman (C. Williamson) by Tiner. Umpires—Lee and Akin.

### CARL HILL HURTS NO-HIT CONTEXT

CORSICANA, Texas, Aug. 2.—Carl Hill pitched a no hit no run game for Mexia against Corsicana Friday, Mexia's first series 3 to 0. Leody hit home run in the ninth inning.

Corsicana	ab	r	h	p	a	e
Etheridge 1 f	4	0	0	5	0	0
Grubb 3 b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Thornton 1 b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Brown c	3	0	0	1	1	0
Barnett r f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Mainquist 2 b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Sain s s	1	0	0	3	6	0
Vann c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Cantrell p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Loveless c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hellis	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dyers c	0	0	0	0	0	0

Total	27	0	0	27	11	0
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Mexia	ab	r	h	p	a	e
Coppert s s	4	0	1	1	4	0
Battler c	4	0	1	1	0	0
James 2 b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Seely r f	4	0	0	4	0	0
Fowlkes 1 f	3	2	1	2	0	0
Leody 2 b	3	1	1	2	1	1
Naylor 1 b	1	0	0	11	0	1
Williamson c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Hill p	3	0	0	0	5	0

Total	32	3	5	27	14	2
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Hollis batted for Vann in eighth. Mexia 000 010 002—3. Corsicana 000 000 000—0.

Home run—Leody. Two-base hit—Coppert. Strike outs—By Hill 3, Cantrell 1. Bases on balls—Off Cantrell 2, Hill 1.

NEW ORLEANS.—Young Marullo New Orleans won by a technical knock out from Bryan Downey of Cleveland in the 10th round of a scheduled 15 round affair here last night.

WITH RUTH AT THE PLATE  
First inning—Walked.  
Third inning—Singled.  
Fifth—Singled.  
Seventh—Walked.  
Ninth—Bunted safely.

## VICTOR AND VANQUISHED IN OLYMPIC TENNIS.



Helen Wills, the California marvel and national tennis title holder, is shown receiving the congratulations of Mike Vlasco, of France, whom she defeated in Paris in the Olympic tennis singles for the world's championship.

## SPORT LIGHTS

The Mexia High School football team this year bids fair to be the best squad put out here in years. Coach Ernest Potteit is looking forward to a big year with fine support from the staff.

The State meet in football this year is divided into Classes A and B. Mexia is in the latter class. By this classification, Mexia and other schools of similar size, under 350 students, will not be required to meet class A teams until through practice and preparations they are ready to face the teams from bigger schools.

Falls, Milam and Robertson counties are thinking about going in "cahoots" and hiring a Boy Scout Executive Secretary to give his full time to the training of Scouts in all their many qualities. Why couldn't Limestone make a fourth county to get in with the three mentioned and put it across. It'll take a little money to do it, but the fund will grow in boys far more rapidly than in bank deposit or in pockets where the wife can get to it.

Westminster College football is looking up. Some of the big games on the schedule of the college should be played in Gusher park. That school is as close to Mexia proper as S. M. U. is to a down town fan in Dallas. Coach Lewis has the assurance of a big lot of new and old material.

The Groesbeck Goats and the Mart Maulers are running neck and neck or nose and nose for the flag in the News-Tribune contest. The chances are

bright for the Goats to butt the Maulers out of first place. The game is young yet.

Jinx Tucker is giving a lot of the boys here "Jinxits." They are retreating, however, and he is down with Mexiatitis. He shows a disposition to grow weary of the disease, and his come back Saturday was as inconic as a Mexican General's report of a tilt with Villa. Here's How it Happened in The News-Tribune:

The Mexia Fan Again—Although out hat seems to have been lost in the mails somewhere between here and Mexia, the Mexia fan or Another Mexia Fan has popped another question to us. Here is the letter:

Mexia, Texas, July 31.

To the Sports Editor: Since you declare you have won a hat by answering two questions asked by a Mexia fan, and since you seem to take such pleasure in answering them see how easy this one is. Granting that the Waco team is a pretty fair ball club, and granting that the Indians are somewhere around the top, please tell your intelligent readers, especially the fans of Mexia just where the Indians would be today if they had been forced to play all of their Texas association games in Mexia. Yours If Stone wins another ball game for you. Another Mexia Fan.

That's also very easy. They would probably be in the hospital.

Politics makes strange bed fellows but baseball has its impossible also. Carl Hill has risen to Rankin Johnson's no hit, no run class, in the Texas Association.

Lot o' funny things happen in this association.

The New York Yankees have purchased Benny Bedford, star outfielder

## BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION  
Friday's Results.  
Mexia 8, Corsicana 0.  
Waco 4, Temple 1.  
Austin 8, Marlin 7.

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct
Waco	40	25	15	.625
Corsicana	41	25	16	.610
Marlin	41	24	17	.585
Austin	40	17	23	.426
Mexia	41	17	24	.415
Temple	41	14	27	.341

Where They Play Today.  
Temple at Mexia.  
Austin at Corsicana.  
Waco at Marlin.

SYRACUSE AND U. S. C.  
MEET ON DECEMBER 6

(By International News Service)

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 2.—Date of the football game to be played here in the Coliseum between Syracuse and University of Southern California has been set for December 6.

of the Austin Rangers for \$2,500 in cash and three players to be delivered to Austin at the start of 1925 season. Bob Connery, Yankee Scout, handled the deal. Last year Connery bought Chick Antrey from the Rangers.

Chick is with Atlanta now. The Yankees, with Babe Ruth and Bedford in the game, have also contracted to play a game with the Rangers in Austin next training season. \$2,500 is believed the biggest cash offer ever made in the T. A. for an outfielder.

It'll not be long until Mexia can have a Coaches Club, not a club for coaches. There's Coach Fowlkes, Coach Potteit, Coach Lewis already here with assistants and would be assistants as numerous as the poll tax list.

Dick Jackson from Corsicana trimmed three of the local golfers to the tune of ten strokes. Jackson made a low score of 42. John Sweatt, second with the score of 52. Blake Forrest, third with the score of 51. Hardy Eubanks fourth and last with a score of 56. No doubt Jackson will return when the home boys have had a little more practice.

WATCHING THE SCORE BOARD

YESTERDAY'S HERO — Dazzy Vance of the Dodgers, who by striking out 7 successive batters equalled the major league record. He whiffed 14 during the game, allowing the Cubs only three hits and Brooklyn won, 4 to 0.

St. Louis was the scene of much bitterness when the Yankees won from the Browns, 3 to 2. Joe Bush offered to battle any spectator and

Babe Ruth was banished after crashing a decision in the ninth. Young Virgil Barnes put a stop to the heavy artillery of the Pirates and the Giants came out on top of a 3 to 1 game.

When Shortstop Bohne erred in the 15th inning he spoiled a pitching duel between Eppa Rixey and Rube Benton. By the error Boston won 3 to 2.

The Mackmen bunched hits in the eighth inning and nosed out Cleveland 4 to 3.

Faber was right and that explains the story of the White Sox third consecutive victory over Boston, 2 to 1.

The Senators have again hit their reports a good meeting.

stride in the American pennant race. For the third time in as many days Washington won from Detroit, the score 7 to 3.

HOME RUN MITTERS  
Peckinpah, Senators, 1-2.  
Bluege, Senators, 1-1.

Major N. P. Houx went to Corsicana Friday afternoon to attend a meeting of the Knights of Pythias lodge. The major is district deputy grand chancellor for the 14th district and is expected to officially visit each lodge in the district, and this was the object of his visit to Corsicana.

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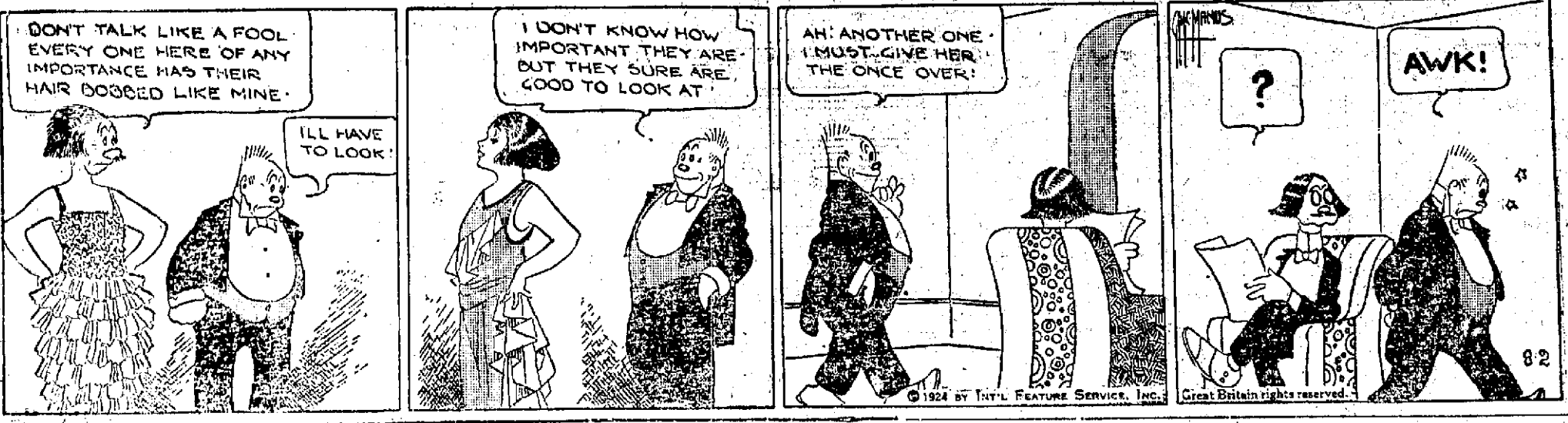


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## Olympic Games May Threaten World Peace

By FRANK GETTY  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
NEW YORK, July 31.—Conceived in the most humanitarian spirit of friendly international athletic rivalry, the Olympic Games are surely not going to end in discord.  
Yet that is what some folks, returning from Paris, predict.  
The turbulent scenes of disorder, which marred conclusion of many of the contests at this year's games, the free fights, challenges to duels, unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of spectators, disregard of the ordinary standards of hospitality and other regrettable incidents of the 8th Olympiad have given rise to grave concern and raised the question: Are the games a good thing, after all?  
Disturbances which might well have resulted more seriously than in the duels, which, by the way, did not occur, have caused British sports men, for one group, to consider the advisability of further participation in the quadrennial sports. It has even been suggested that outbreaks of ill-feeling on the athletic field jeopardize world peace.  
The Americans, for their part, bore the brunt of much hostility with most commendable calm. There were times when it seemed as though the eagles were being deliberately started against them. There was the incident during the tennis matches, when our men's and women's teams had actually to threaten to withdraw unless "civilized" accommodations were provided. There was the conduct of the spectators which, allowing for a perfectly natural patriotic fervor, went beyond the bounds of all reason in a display of open animosity towards our men and women.  
We were not the only ones to suffer in this respect. So disgraceful was the conduct of the French spectators at the semi-finals doublet match, in which Bryson and Crockett of France defeated Condon and Richardson of South Africa that the officials were forced to have the players finish the match outside the stadium.  
The Italian fencers, on two occasions, withdrew in white heat from a competition, slandering their French opponents. On another, they were reported to have threatened to bring their "black shirts" and capture their Italian opponents and force them to swallow water out of their kind.  
The boxing at the Velodrome d'Hyver ended amid turbulence, with a French boxer biting his British opponent severely in the chest and the spectators trying to storm the enclosure and force the slugging of the Belgian national anthem.  
The incident of the fist fight between the French and American rowers is another not to look back upon.  
The sports brought probably was the first time in the history of the world that the Olympic Games have threatened to bring about a world war.

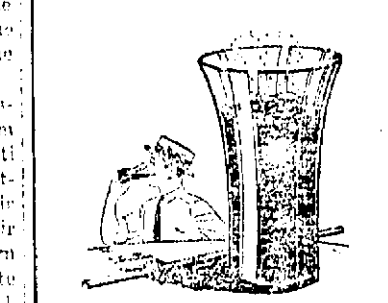
## World War, the correspondent, is nevertheless, forced to admit that the French people were not in the proper mood this year to act as hosts for an assemblage of this kind. National hatreds have lived longer with the French, for excellent reasons, than with other nations. Under the guidance of Poincare and the Bloc National, not long enough out of office for their influence to have died, suspicion is a trait in the forefront of many a Frenchman's intellect. Resentment over their inability to conquer in sport as they conceived themselves to have conquered in war is another. Particularly did they resent America's obvious supremacy, and this resentment expressed itself in prejudice and partiality against our teams.

All this, of course, is over now, and there would be no need to bring it up if the question of the advisability of having any more Olympic Games were not being discussed seriously. As for the effect that the treatment accorded our athletes had upon their showing they scored more than twice as many points as any other nation—France being second, by the way—and our teams are returning with about all the trophies they can carry.

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37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.  
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.  
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.  
South bound—

340 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.  
16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.  
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.  
38 Austin San Antonio ..... 12:21 a. m.  
18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.  
26 Houston San Antonio ..... 12:16 a. m.  
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Thrall.....	1.00
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1-7	WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the 7th day of July, 1924, and said results of said election duly certified and recorded by the presiding election officers; and

### AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas to be held on the 12 day of August 1924, for the purpose of electing two persons to serve as members of the City Commission up to the first Tuesday in April, 1925, as provided by the Charter of the City of Mexia, designating the place at which said election is to be held and appointing presiding officers thereof, and declaring an emergency.  
WHEREAS, on the 7th day of July, 1924, there was submitted to the qualified voters of the said City of Mexia at an election, the Charter that was prepared and submitted by the Charter Commission which was elected on the 21st day of March, 1924, and at such election a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election voted in favor of the adoption of the Charter so submitted and  
WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the 7th day of July, 1924, and said results of said election duly certified and recorded by the presiding election officers; and  
WHEREAS, on the 10th day of July, 1924, the City Commission considered the returns and canvassed the same, and found that there was

cast at said election 479 votes for the adoption of the Charter and 341 votes against the adoption of the Charter; and the Commission thereupon resolution duly entered declared that the Charter so submitted was adopted by majority vote of the qualified voters of said City voting at said election; and  
WHEREAS, the Charter adopted provided that there should be elected two additional members of the City Commission to hold office until the first Tuesday in April, 1926, or until their successors have been duly elected and qualified.  
THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA:

Section 1: That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 12th day of August, 1924 for the purpose of electing two additional members of the City Commission.  
Section 2: That the polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows: The polling place shall be at the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas and T. B. Chatham is hereby designated as presiding officer.  
Section 3: That an election shall be held under the provisions of Section 4, Article XVII of the Charter of the City of Mexia, Texas.  
Section 4: All persons desiring to become candidates for members of the City Commission shall file their names with the City Secretary of the City of Mexia, Texas, not later than the 8th day of August, 1924, at 5 o'clock p. m. and the names so filed shall be printed on said ballot as candidates to be voted upon at said election.  
Section 5: A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election and ten (10) days notice of the time and place of holding said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the place designated for holding said election, at least ten (10) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of said notice not less than ten (10) full days from day of the election.  
Section 6: The fact that the Charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, provides that there shall be five (5) members of the City Commission and that there are now only three creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules regarding ordinances to be read upon more than one day, and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval and publication.  
Passed and approved this 14th day of July, 1924.  
E. WATSON, Mayor.  
Attest: E. D. Morgan, City Secretary

### CANDIDATES

## Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

### LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 25th day of July, 1924:  
For Governor—  
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.  
For Judge 8th Judicial District—  
J. ROSS BELL  
(Re-Election 2nd Term)  
J. E. WOODS.  
For County Judge—  
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)  
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD  
For County Tax Assessor—  
TOM M. CAIN  
R. W. (BOB) STEEN  
For County Treasurer—  
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)  
H. C. FITZGERALD.  
For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 4—  
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# RAIN IS NEEDED ON FARMS OF LIMESTONE COUNTY

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There was a time when an humorous character resided in these parts who would remark after a rain breaking up a dry spell that he was sure that rain had been worth at least five hundred dollars to Limestone county. It is generally conceded that a rain now in this section would add much more than that to the pocket books of surrounding farmers.

## Conyers Is Honor Guest At Affair By His Townsmen

I. N. Conyers, for many years of Marlin and who has been engaged in business in Mexia for the past several years, was tendered a smoker recently by his fellow townsmen at Marlin. He and his family are to leave for Robstown which they will make their future home. Due to the many friends Mr. Conyers has in Mexia and through out this section, the following will prove interesting, as taken from The Marlin Democrat in regard to the affair of his honor:

"Presiding as chairman of the meeting, Frank Olcott declared no individual had brought more business to Marlin than Mr. Conyers. He referred to the scrupulous honesty of the man, declaring farmers were willing to pay Conyers more money for horses, mules, feed and seed because they knew they would get a square deal. Mr. Olcott said that as Mr. Conyers' attorney, he had found him straightforward in his dealings with others and never desiring to shade a case in his favor.

Dr. S. P. Rice referred to Mr. Conyers, coming to Marlin some 20 years ago as a horse trader. He cited the expansion of his business as proof of his ability. Dr. Rice also called attention to the fact that Mr. Conyers had reared a splendid family in Marlin, in the course of which one of his boys, Douglas Conyers, served overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces during the world war.

"Any farming community would be fortunate to secure a man like Mr. Conyers," said J. C. Hollaway. "Not only Marlin, but all Falls county will miss him. It meant something to the farmers to know that they could bring a mule, a cow, or a load of feed to Marlin and get what it was worth. The departure of Mr. Conyers is going to make itself felt on my business and others as well as in his particular life."

"The working people of this section will miss Mr. Conyers," said Lloyd Johnson. "He was their friend and had a lot to say for them."

J. E. Coleman said his association with Mr. Conyers in both business and in the personal affairs of life had been most pleasant.

A tribute to Mr. Conyers as a business man was paid by J. W. Lockridge, who had been associated with him in this capacity.

The respect of the citizenship of Marlin in general over the departure of Mr. Conyers was expressed by Raymond Barnett, who said the best wishes of the community would go with him in his new field.

Mr. Conyers responded to the talks in a fitting manner. He expressed regret at having to leave "old Marlin," adding that he was not "burning any bridges behind him," and that he would be back from time to time."

# HOME DRESSMAKING

By JEANNE BOLAND  
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A Model for Cotton, Wool or Silk



Smart Frock in Cut-Out Effect

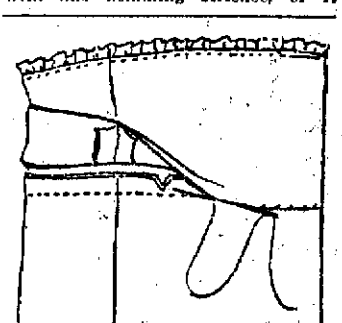
Plaits, the deeply cut neck and armholes and side-closing waist are details enough to enumerate to prove the smartness of this youthful frock from Paris. It is suitable to develop in gingham, wool crepe, silk or velvet.

To develop this dress in materials which are now wearable and which will be fashionable later on, wool crepe might be suggested because it is both smart and inexpensive. For the blouse, crepe de chine could be used. Two tones of one color could be used for the dress and blouse, or a combination of colors such as navy blue and black or dark brown and tan. For a girl of ten years of age

the model calls for 2 yards of material 36 inches wide for the dress and 1 1/2 yards crepe for the blouse.

A pleasing detail of the blouse is the trimming of tiny self-frills stitched about the collar, cuffs and down the front. The diagram shows how the cuff is made and turned back, after the ruffle has been set in. To make the cuff, cut two strips of material the same size. Have the plaiting ready and sew it to the upper part of the cuff. Turn to the reverse side, then take the under side of the cuff, turn under the edge about 1/4 of an inch and fasten to the lower edge of the outer cuff to which the frill has been added.

Sew the lower edge of the sleeve to the upper edge of the right side of the cuff and stitch. Then turn under the upper edge of the under side of the cuff and sew to the lower edge of the sleeve, as shown in the diagram. This sewing may be done with fine hemming stitches, or it



Cuff Made Double and Frits Added.

may be done on the machine. The skirt is laid in a wide box plait at the front, with smaller plaits at the side. If preferred, however, it may be gathered and attached to the lower edge of the waist. The waist is bound with silk braid that corresponds in color with the blouse. Velvet and velveteen are going to be very fashionable for school modes for girls. Velveteen wears exceedingly well and is dressy. Combined with the colorful silks, nothing is smarter.

school funds, and I, therefore, suggest that you call the attention of your local school authorities to this important matter immediately.

Sincerely yours,  
S. M. N. MARRS,  
State Superintendent.

## STANFORD LEADS SPIVEY IN DISTRICT CAMPAIGN

J. A. Stanford, is leading J. W. Spivey, present incumbent of the office of associate justice of the Tenth Court of Civil Appeals by about 300 votes. The returns are nearly complete, according to the last report made.

Bob Capell returned Friday night from a trip over the road.

Hugh Everett had business in Corsicana Friday.

Tom Cox paid Corsicana a business visit Friday.



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## LETTERS From the People

Austin, Texas, July 29, 1924.  
To the Depositories of Independent  
School Districts:

On July tenth the State Board of Education fixed the apportionment for the scholastic year 1924-1925 at fourteen dollars per capita; of this amount I shall be able to send two dollars to each school district during the month of September. This is the first time in the history of the State that a payment on the per capita apportionment will have been made before the expiration of the first month of the school. You may reasonably expect the entire apportionment to be paid by May 1, 1925.

The law requires the Board of Trustees to select a depository annually. The term of the depository begins on September first. Inasmuch as there will be a payment on the per capita made in September, it is very important that the selection of the depository be made during the month of August. Blank forms for the bonds have already been sent to the presidents of school boards. The law governing the selection of the depository and making bond for the same makes the following specifications:

1. The amount of the bond must be for double the probable amount of the total annual income of the district.
2. No member of the school board, nor the wife or husband of any member, may be an officer, director or stockholder in the bank selected as depository.

In making bond, please be careful to note:

1. If bond is made by two surety companies, each bond must contain a clause recognizing the liability of the other, as well as the amount of said liability.
2. The date of selection of the depository by the school board must be prior to the date of execution by the

depository bank, which date in turn must be prior to the date of approval by the school board. However, the three dates may be shown as concurrent, if all transactions occur on the same date. The date of selection and the date of execution, or the date of approval may be shown as concurrent. I am very anxious that no delay be experienced in the distribution of the



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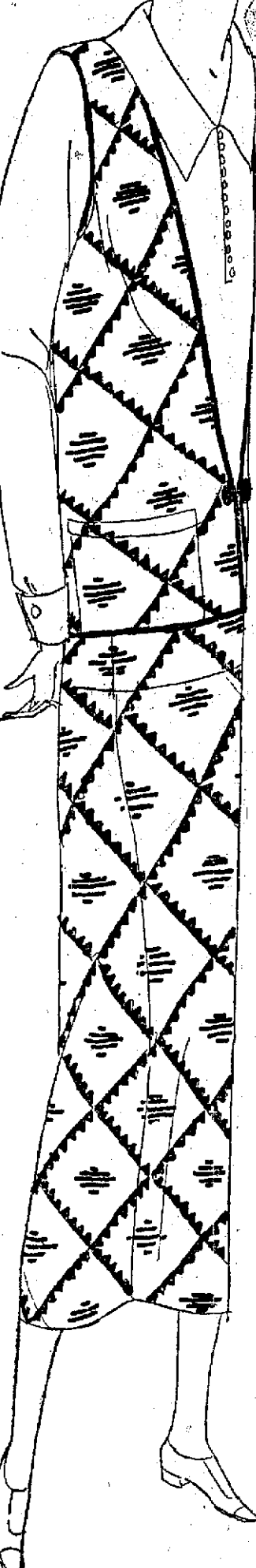
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Values up to \$16.75 \$8.95  
—Beautiful dresses of Linen, Georgette and Voile. Your choice of the lot for the small price of \$8.95 \$8.95

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Values up to \$19.75 \$9.85  
—Every dress in this lot is worth twice the money we are asking for them but on account of wanting to clear our racks for new Fall merchandise which will be arriving within a few weeks we offer them at this low price. \$9.85

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\$20.00 Suits	\$13.77	\$32.50 Suits	\$22.77
\$22.50 Suits	\$15.77	\$35.00 Suits	\$24.77
\$25.00 Suits	\$17.77	\$37.50 Suits	\$26.77
\$27.50 Suits	\$18.77	\$39.50 Suits	\$28.77

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## LIMESTONE DEMOCRATS HOLD STORMY SESSION

### YANK FLIER ERIC SMITH GOING IT ALONE BOUND FOR NORTH

ABOARD U. S. CRUISER RICHMOND, ORKNEY ISLANDS, Aug. 2.—Lieutenant Eric C. Nelson, missing American round the world flier, has been sighted off Fargo Islands by the torpedo boat Billingsley. The Billingsley radioed the Richmond that Nelson flew over Fares at 12:50 Greenwich time, speeding toward Iceland, apparently determined to continue the flight alone. The weather was cleared and conditions ahead favorable. Nelson is accompanied by Mechanic Harding.

KIRK WALL, Orkney Islands, Aug. 2.—Lieut. Eric Nelson of the American around the world flight was winging his way toward Iceland alone today after becoming separated from his flying mates in a fog 25 miles out of Houton Bay, off Kirk wall.

Lieut. Lowell Smith, commander of the flight and Lieut. Leigh Wade decided to return to Houton Bay when they lost Nelson in the dense mist which hung over the north Atlantic. The commander and Wade flew back over Kirkwall at 10:15 a. m. and circled over Houton Bay to their landing buoys.

Meantime the U. S. Cruiser Richmond, which had cheered the fliers' departure, put out to sea under full steam to race in the wake of the speeding Nelson and render him assistance if it is needed.

The Richmond sent out hurried radios to the torpedo boat destroyers Reid and Billingsley warning them that Nelson was on his way alone and asking that a close look-out be kept for him.

The two ships previously had taken up positions along the route of the fliers from Houton Bay to Hornafjord, Iceland.

### WEATHER WAS FINE FOR FLIERS HOP SATURDAY

BOARD U. S. S. RICHMOND, OFF KIRK WALL, ORKNEY ISLAND, Aug. 2.—When America's round the world fliers took off on their 550-mile jump to Iceland at 9:30 a. m. today the weather here was fair.

Fog, which had held the world air-men prisoners in Houton bay for two days after their successful flight from Brough, England lifted during the night and the three big planes, riding gracefully at their buoy anchors were made ready at daybreak.

There was a great roaring of motors and testing, a final inspection and then an anxious wait for radio messages from the torpedo boat destroyers, Reid and Billingsley—lay for reports on the weather along the course.

Finally, the radio man on the Richmond called out and a group of officers gathered round as he handed over the message "favorable."

"Fifteen miles visibility" the Reid shot through a minute later and then the same word came from the Billingsley.

It was then 6 a. m. and the airmen decided to take off at 8 o'clock.

Final preparations were not completed until after 9, however and it was 9:25 when the signal to take off was given.

Lieut. Lowell Smith in the flagship of the air squadron took the lead, skimming across the bay followed by his two companions, Lieuts. Wade and Nelson.

The three planes took the air practically simultaneously and then soared away to open sea.

Bluejackets on the Richmond sent up a great cheer and the stars and stripes fluttered bravely in the morning breeze as the big machines winged into the air toward Iceland on the first leg of their final perilous flight to the home land.

All the airmen were confident as they hustled and about their preparations this morning and after hearty breakfasts.

"It may be a hard flight" said Lieut. Smith "but I don't think we will encounter the difficulties we experienced in Alaska and the Aleutians."

Some icebergs were reported along the route but it was not anticipated they would cause trouble.

### Allied Conference Making Rapid Strides Toward Settlement

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The allied conference here moved rapidly toward its goal of putting the Dawes program into execution, thus providing the machinery for general European settlement of the reparations problem. The plenary session agreed on an invitation to Germany to send delegates to a conference and the invitation was telegraphed to Berlin later in the afternoon by the German ambassador. It was understood that the allied message was a simple request that Germany send representatives.

### BIG SEVEN BEGAN WORK ON TEXT INVITATION TO HUNS

By LLOYD ALLEN (United Press Staff Correspondent) LONDON, Aug. 2.—The plenary session of the allied conference here today reached an agreement to forward an invitation to Germany at once to send delegates to the conference, according to authoritative information.

Sources close to the conferences were optimistic, indicating an agreement had been reached and that the tangled German reparations question finally is well on the way to the settlement through application of the program of the committee of experts, headed by Dawes of the United States.

The conference accepted the reports of its first and third committees today.

The invitation to Germany probably will be sent to Berlin this afternoon and the German delegates will start immediately for London to agree to the new program. The German government already declared itself in favor of the Dawes program in principle.

The plenary session lasted two and one half hours and it was understood the conference reached agreement on a majority of the questions at issue, accepting the French proposals in all essentials.

The "big seven" began consideration of the text of the invitation to Germany at once and expected the German representatives would arrive here Tuesday. This might make possible completion of the conference next week.

### Railroad Officials Drop Evans Affair

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 2.—Further action against Dr. H. W. Evans, Klan imperial wizard, in connection with the alleged objection of passengers to the presence of Evans' negro servant on a Texas & Pacific passenger train near Marshall yesterday, will not be taken by the railroad, officials said here after a day of investigation. "Nothing found upon which they could base a complaint," it was said.

### PROGRAM FOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SUNDAY

Leader: Miss Andrea Betts. Subject: How Jesus Treated Enemies.

Opening Song: Dare to Be a Daniel—No. 184.

Prayer—Miss Anna Fae Henden.

Scripture Reading: Luke 23:34; Matt. 5:43-48.

Bible Drill—Christian Endeavor.

Responsive Reading—Christian Endeavor.

Our Model—Miss Annie Lee Hobbs.

What Enemies Have We to Face?—Mr. Harold Wright.

How Jesus Treated Enemies—Miss Lurline Betts.

How Can We Get Christ's Attitude toward Enemies?—Miss Martha Mitchell.

Closing Song—Till We Meet Again—No. 180.

Benediction.

Our Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday at 7:00 o'clock and we are rapidly growing and the doors are always open to anyone wishing to join us or visit.

### CONSTABULARY ON DUTY

SHREWSBURY, Conn., Aug. 2.—State constabulary concentrated for near here to prevent further outbreaks between Klan and civilians. All apparently quiet now.

### CHIEF FIGURES IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY.



Below: FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, former Assistant Secretary of the Navy, who managed Governor Al Smith's efforts to secure the Democratic Presidential nomination, will act as manager in the East for John W. Davis's Presidential campaign. David Belasco, noted theatrical manager, is seriously ill from a nervous breakdown in a New York City hotel. Princess Maria, youngest daughter of the King and Queen of Italy, is ill with scarlet fever in Rome. A plot to assassinate King Alexander of Serbia has been upped in the bud in Belgrade.

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### RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED WITHOUT PROTEST BY DEMOCRATS OF COUNTY

Be it resolved by the democrats of Limestone county, in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, that we commend the platform of the National Democratic Party passed at the National Democratic convention held at New York as expressing and enunciating the true thesis and science of representative government and pledge our unqualified support to the party principles therein set forth; that we believe that it is the only platform of any party in America today that promises or holds forth any relief whatever to the great toiling masses of farm, factory and field, and offers to solve their problems; that we recognize in the nominees of our National convention for President and vice president, John W. Davis and Charles W. Bryan, the peerless leaders of the great forces of democracy to lead us out of the mires and cess pools of graft and malfeasance in office practiced by the Republican party for the last three years into the lofty plains of clean representative government and crush the evil influence of predatory wealth and special interests thereby redeeming our great nation and placing it back into the hands of the common people.

Be it resolved by the democrats of Limestone county, in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, that we as democrats unqualifiedly endorse each and every nominee of the Democratic party in Texas duly nominated by our party at the primary election held on July 26th, 1924, for state, county and precinct offices, and those to be nominated in the run off primary to be held by our party on August 23, 1924, and hereby solemnly pledge our support to them at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday in November ensuing.

Be it resolved that the democrats of Limestone county, in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, do hereby solemnly reaffirm our allegiance to and support of the written constitutional and statutory laws of this nation and state with reference to the question of Prohibition and heretofore announce ourselves as opposed to any change, alteration or modification of same, the effect of which would tend to destroy the effective and proper enforcement of the laws relating thereto.

We also reaffirm our belief in the far sighted wisdom of the people of this nation and state in giving to women equal rights and privileges of franchise with men and commend the noble women of our land in making possible many of the great reforms of progressive democracy.

Be it resolved that the democrats of Limestone county in convention duly assembled at Groesbeck, Texas, do hereby solemnly pledge ourselves to a strict and rigid enforcement of all the laws of our nation and states constitutional and statutory, by and through the duly elected and constituted authorities chosen to exercise such functions, and by no other method.

Respectfully submitted by your Committee on Resolutions this 2nd day of August, A. D. 1924.

O. F. Watkins, W. P. Alexander, H. H. Alexander.

### Borrowed Gun From Dealer; Killed Self

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 2.—M. G. Langhorne, Henderson, Texas, committed suicide here late yesterday in a hardware store while a clerk was showing him a revolver.

Langhorne entered the shop and asked to see a revolver. The clerk laid a heavy-caliber revolver on the showcase and the customer asked for some cartridges. Langhorne slipped a cartridge in the gun, raised it to his head and pulled the trigger, dying instantly. Identification was made through papers found in his pockets.

### IRISH CONFERENCE FAILS TO AGREE

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Irish conference attempting to solve the border dispute between Ulster and Irish Free State, adjourned here late this afternoon without reaching a decision. No statements were given out and it was obvious that the conference was dissatisfied.

### CROWE LOSES FOR SECOND TIME IN LEOPOLD-LOEB CASE

CRIMINAL COURT, Chicago, Aug. 2.—States Attorney Robert Crowe today failed for the second time to force the mental condition of Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb before a jury while examining Dr. William White, alienist, who appeared in defense of the youths who murdered Robert Franks. Crowe attempted to force the witness to state whether in his opinion the boys were insane. The defense objected and Justice Caverly sustained the objection. Other similar moves were repulsed.

By EDWARD C. DERR (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CRIMINAL COURT, Chicago, Aug. 2.—Playing his cards with the sureness of a master, Clarence Darrow, chief defense attorney in the Leopold-Loeb murder case, is awaiting an opportunity to make a surprise play and rest his case. Darrow feels that his efforts have been so effective thus far that he may not be forced to play out the entire hand as planned.

A new surprise move is expected—a move that will bring the defense case to an abrupt termination. Defense attorneys made it known earlier that plans called for the introduction of evidence by numerous alienists, members of the Leopold and Loeb families, close friends, acquaintances—including boys and girls—and perhaps the boys themselves. The witnesses were to go into the history of the boys and perhaps go even further.

But Darrow, keen observer and crafty player feels elated with his work thus far, and it was made known he feels he does not have to extend much more force to win the victory—the victory being to have Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb sentenced to life in prison.

Several defense alienists remain to testify after Dr. William A. White, Washington, concludes his testimony. Whether Darrow will place more than another one on the stand depends on how he interprets the mood of the court. At present Darrow feels he has established his point—that the youths were not wholly responsible for their crime.

Darrow also believes he has produced sufficient evidence to compel "mitigation of punishment" and observers are inclined to the belief he will bring his case to a close with the same abruptness that he entered his plea of guilty to the murder.

Dr. White's testimony, or rather lecture, on the mental and emotional histories of the boys was easily the most sensational yet produced at the judicial hearing. In a recital crammed with sensation, Dr. White brought out that: "Loeb's objective in the killing was to make it the 'perfect crime.'"

### THIS TIME IT WAS WAGON

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 2.—Roy Ryber, 39, was killed and his companion, John Dawson Jr. and W. T. Green, a teamster were injured when a Kansas City Southern passenger train crashed into a wagon on a grade crossing here. The boys were "hooking" a ride.

### HAILSTORM AT ABILENE

ABILENE, Kan., Aug. 2.—Damage approximating \$50,000 was done by a terrific hail storm which swept this section late Friday. Skylights, windows and automobile tops were wrecked by the hail stones, some of which were two inches in diameter. Crops were damaged over hundreds of acres.

### POLITICAL CHATS

Citizens of Mexia and polltax payers. You well know that you can vote as you please for the man or woman that you want as your public servant in the various offices for state and county, so go to the polls and gratify that wish that you paid \$1.75 to do. If you are not a politician and not looking for pie, why should you worry?

When the election is over you will have to look to one another for your living support, as you have in the past. As none of these in control in the past and none in the future, will help the man on the street tearing his shirt sleeves off for him. You are only making a fool out of yourself and losing your prestige in your own community. So why be a fool for others. Be calm and vote as you please and let others do likewise.—A Voter.

### FERGUSON FORCES FAIL TO CONTROL DELEGATES ASSEMBLED AT GROESBECK

"What stronger breast plate than a house unpainted. Thrice is he armed that hath his quarrel just. And he but naked though locked up in steel, whose conscience with injustice is corrupted."

The Limestone County Democratic Convention was called to order in the 77th Judicial District Court room in the Court House at Groesbeck by County Chairman E. A. Allen Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

The convention opened in a storm but closed with the surface of the political waters apparently as placid as if they had never been ruffled by the winds of discussion and debate.

The opening tilt began when the question was raised as to how the convention was to vote, whether the convention would heed the ballots of duly accredited delegates or whether the bars should be let down and permission granted to everyone present who claimed he was entitled to vote to have a voice and vote in the convention. Dr. R. B. Jackson, in a fiery address made a plea that the convention be conducted as it had always been conducted and that every democrat who had presented himself to the convention as a delegate should be permitted to vote and be given an honor seat as a genuine democrat. Filled with the humor that characterizes his usual addresses, the convention was soon agog with excitement, and the battle lines began to be drawn when Ben B. Hunt of Mexia also took issue with the doctor, stating that the law should be followed and that none but accredited delegates should be seated and any decision to the contrary was fraught with disaster to the convention system. He urged the Terrell election law to be applied and stated that a ruling from the Attorney General's Department clearly set forth that only duly elected delegates in precinct conventions should be seated in the temporary organizations. Bob Hanna of Groesbeck urged that all who applied for admission should be seated as delegates. Mr. Allen ruled that only duly accredited delegates elected in precinct conventions held on the date specified by the law should have a vote in the convention, sustaining the plea of Mr. Hunt.

The question then before the house was the selection of a temporary chairman. Mr. Hunt placed in nomination A. Garland Adair, whom he described as a young man but one who was loyal to the party and who would ably preside over the deliberations with credit and fairness to the democracy of the county. Bob Hanna then placed in nomination, the name of Hon. W. T. Jackson of Groesbeck, paying a tribute to the nominee and stating that Mr. Jackson was a veteran Limestone County Democrat and one whom they all knew.

The vote was taken by roll call and the results gave Mr. Adair 38 votes while Judge Jackson was given 26.

Mr. Allen appointed Ben Hunt and Tom McLendon, who has been in the county since 1878, to escort Mr. Adair to the chair as temporary presiding officer.

Mr. Adair spoke briefly, sounding the keynote of the convention. He said in part:

"My friends, it is with much embarrassment that I must admit that many of you ladies and gentlemen here assembled do not know me. I wish to assure you that my heart is wrapped up with the best interests of Limestone County. I have resided in the county only four years but hope, God permitting, to live with you much longer. We should not permit division lines to be drawn on youth or age. Our Savior lived to be only 33 years of age but he laid the foundation upon which we rest our Christianity today. The time is here when Democrats of every age should stand together in the spirit of loyalty to one another and love for the country. I have just returned from three weeks spent at the National Democratic Convention. I heard the great statesmen of our party plead for clean government. There it was pointed out that the cry of the toiling masses of our country and the plaintiff plea of the war torn world was for clean government. Our party is the only party that can bring relief. The opportunity is golden. Let's not cast it aside and lose the opportunity to serve mankind by the injection of petty matters which have no place in a political convention of the Democratic party, in county, state or union. Before Democrats can point the fingers of rebuke at those guilty of malfeasance in office in the Republican party, it must demand clean government in convention and in office within its own ranks. In the hopes of having here today a harmonious session in full accord with the aspirations of our great party, we will proceed to the business for which we are here assembled and none other."

The temporary chairman then asked that a temporary secretary be nominated. Fletcher Adair of Groesbeck was unanimously elected.

The chair ruled that only those who had thus far voted would be allowed to vote until the credentials committee had made its report.

Ben Hunt then made a motion that the temporary chairman be empowered to appoint committees of three on resolutions, delegation to the State convention, and credentials. Bob Hanna then offered a substitute in so far as the delegation committee was concerned, to the effect that two delegations be brought in, one representing one of

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### MRS. FERGUSON INCREASES HER LEAD OVER LYNCH

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 2.—Mrs. Miriam Ferguson increased her lead over Lynch Davidson for the runoff candidate place against Robertson, to nearly 7,000 votes.

Noon returns of the Texas Election Bureau here the vote stood:

Robertson, 138,750.

Ferguson, 143,042.

Lynch Davidson, 136,087.

Other standings were relatively the same.

The total vote accounted for was 683,548.

### Tennis Tournament At Dallas Today

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 2.—Bradley Hogue and J. B. Adoue will fight it out here tomorrow afternoon for the singles championship in the closing round of the thirteenth annual southwestern annual tennis tournament.

Hogue and Adoue went into the finals Friday by taking the measure of Ben Parks, Okla. City racketeer, and John Barr, Dallas, respectively in the semi-finals singles.

Hogue continued in his stride, that was responsible for the defeat of Jester in Thursday's play, in polishing off Parks.

Adoue was forced to extend himself in beating the rangy Barr, who finally weakened under smashing serves.

Youth will be paired in the doubles final in which Barr and Leven Jester, present southwestern doubles champions, are paired against Claude Monnett and Parks Saturday afternoon.

Barr and Jester emerged triumphant Friday over Laurence and Hackney, Fort Worth entrants, 6-5-12-10, and 6-3; while Arthur Seelingson of San Antonio and J. B. Adoue were taken to a cleaning by the Oklahoma aggregation, Parks and Monnett, 2-6, 6-4, 6-0, 4-6, 6-4, lobbing of the Oklahoma players late in the set were Seelingson down after the Texas racketeers had held the advantage.

Record crowds are expected to witness the doubles finals here this afternoon the singles windup Sunday.

Politicians Fighting Again in Mexico City

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 2.—Political tension was high here today following a riot between the civilian and militarized police and firemen in which one civilian was killed and five wounded.

The fighting took place near the national palace when police and firemen attempted to disperse a procession demonstrating against high taxes.



### Karem Noblemen Go To Galveston For Shrine Show

Quite a number of Nobles of Karem Shrine of Mexia are expecting to line up with the Waco Karemites in their journey to Galveston for the big show beginning there Monday.

According to W. F. Quebe, recorder of Karem Shrine, at least 500 Shriners, with their families, will be in Galveston next week, coming from all parts of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana. Fort Crockett, with its 22 barracks, will be turned over to the visitors, and squad tents provided for the overflow. Everything from parking spaces for cars to restaurants and lunch counters, and mail, telegraph and telephone service, will be ready for the nobles at the camp, where a \$10 fee will be charged for each person. Every effort is being made to insure reasonable rates in the city for those visitors who do not prefer to use the camp. Arrangements also are being made for nobles who come by automobile to camp in the open with their own equipment.

### LUNCHEON PROGRAMS OF ROTARIANS FOR AUGUST TO BE GOOD

J. W. Elliott, Secretary of the Mexia Rotary club announces the following program committees for the month of August: Lennie Metcalf, David Murphy, Tom Nolan, for the week of August 7; Tom Oates, Pat Patterson, Duke Pittman for the week of August 14; Cap Puckett, Joe Putman, Sanford Smith, for the week of August 21, and Ernest Strange, Leonard Tidwell and Dick Wagner, for the week of August 28.

### STUBBS-McGEE

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hatch and son, Allen, Jr., and Mrs. George Bell are to spend the day in Waxahachie attending the wedding of her brother, Mr. George D. Stubbs of Wortham, well known throughout this section, the son of J. J. Stubbs is the groom and Miss Dorothy McGee of Waxahachie is to be the bride. The happy affair will take place at the home of the bride. She will be remembered by many of this city as the charming and talented pianist who accompanied the Trinity University Glee Club when it rendered its fine program here last spring. Mrs. Hatch and Mr. Bell will lend to the pleasure of the occasion by rendering a duet, preceding the wedding ceremony.

### DOWNSVILLE WILDCAT ATTRACTS ATTENTION

With the Downsville Wildcat test down around 1300 feet, promoters feel much encouraged over the outcome of the operation. They expect a sand of commercial value at around 1400 feet. The test is about a mile from Mooreville in McLennan County. It has been shut down for a while.

### LIGHT RAINFALL FOR JULY

Weather Observer Newman reports that the rainfall in this section for July amounted to 0.10, which was a mere sprinkle in the early days of the month. The rainfall for June was not much more than this, which makes two very dry months.

### REVIVAL AT SHILOH

The Baptists will begin a revival at Shiloh August 10. Pastor J. M. Jones will be assisted by Rev. J. M. Hale of Waco. Rev. Hale has had considerable experience in evangelistic work and his meetings are always attended with fine results. The services will probably be held in the open air.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reiter of Dallas arrived Friday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Denning.

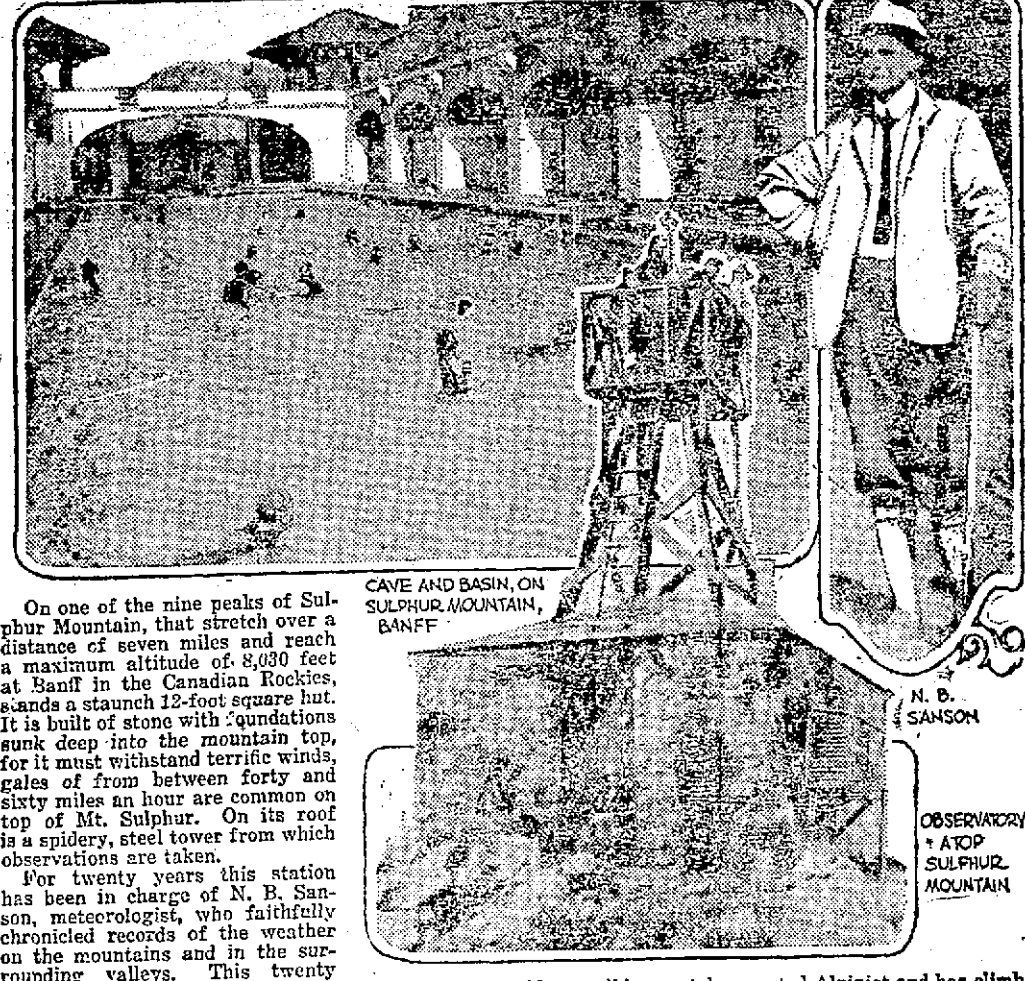
When a man is married to a good woman he doesn't think it necessary to go to church.

### Declares Actress Made "Soul Slave Contract."



Beautiful Mary Savage, New York motion picture actress, "sold" herself in Los Angeles to "Rev." John Bertram Clarke, of New York, in a "soul slave contract," according to the Los Angeles police, following Clarke's arrest there. In the contract she is alleged to have agreed to do whatever he told her in a social and business way, to see him every day and keep him informed of all her actions. He declares it was merely in his effort to advance her as a screen star.

### High-Up Weather Station at Banff Attracts Many Visitors



On one of the nine peaks of Sulphur Mountain, that stretch over a distance of seven miles and reach a maximum altitude of 8,030 feet at Banff in the Canadian Rockies, stands a staunch 12-foot square hut. It is built of stone with foundations sunk deep into the mountain top, for it must withstand terrific winds, gales of from between forty and sixty miles an hour are common on top of Mt. Sulphur. On its roof is a spidery, steel tower from which observations are taken.

For twenty years this station has been in charge of N. B. Sanson, meteorologist, who faithfully chronicled records of the weather on the mountains and in the surrounding valleys. This twenty years has been replete with interesting experiences, some of them thrilling. Mr. Sanson is a naturalist too, and the Banff Museum contains specimens of almost every bird, beast, reptile, insect, plant and mineral that exists in the district, all collected by him.

He has kept a diary through the years and it is filled with fascinating observations on grouse, rabbits, deer, mountain goats and on strange flowers and lichens. On one Sept. 4th he picked strawberries near the mountain's top, and once, in the dead of winter with the mercury at 20 below zero, he found two snow spiders walking on the snow. They had spun webs over the hollows made by a man's footprints in the snow and there they entrapped snow-flies.

Guests at Banff will find a visit to this high-up hut and its devoted attendant, a most interesting excursion. Three-fourths of the distance may be made by pony. Scientists, geologists, botanists and nature lovers, delight in listening to Mr. Sanson relate anecdotes incident to life on Banff's look-out. The view from this point is unusually thrilling, a wide vista spreading far in every direction. Mr. Sanson is also a noted Alpinist and has climbed practically all the peaks in his district.

This is one of the unusual things to do at Banff, another is to bathe in the Government and Banff Springs Hotel glass-enclosed swimming pools that are constantly replenished by hot sulphur water sent up from subterranean springs under Sulphur Mountain. Outdoor bathing is enjoyed twelve months in the year. Another unique sport is that afforded by the Government Golf Course laid out along the Bow River among great mountains and often cloud-enfolded.

## Radio

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By DAISEY MAYES  
(See Station Calls Above)  
Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

TUNE IN TIME TONIGHT

AUGUST 3, 1924.  
9:00 to 10:00 p. m.  
KYW, 9:00 Sunday morning service.  
WOC, 9:00 Sacred chimes concert.  
WOAW, 9:00 Chapel service.  
WHAS, 9:57 Organ music.  
10:00 to 11:00 a. m.  
WWJ, 10:00 Services.  
11:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon  
WHB, 11:00 to 12:30 Services.  
12:00 to 1:00 p. m.  
KHJ, 12:00 Sermon from KHJ studio.  
KFI, 12:00 to 12:45 Church services.  
WOO, 12:30 Sunday school.  
KYW, 12:30 Studio chapel service.  
KHJ, 12:30 to 2:30 Organ recital and service.  
WDAR, 1:00 Shopmen's band.

WDAF, 4:00 to 5:00 Program, Newman theatre.  
5:00 to 6:00 p. m.  
WFI, 5:30 Services.  
WCAE, 5:00 Dinner concert.  
WCX, 5:00 Dinner concert.  
WIP, 5:30 Services, Holy Trinity church.  
WOO, 5:30 Organ recital.  
KGO, 5:30 KGO little Symphony orchestra.  
WFAA, 6:00 to 7:00 Radio Bible class.  
WCX, 6:45 Services; quartets.  
7:00 to 8:00 p. m.  
WIP, 7:30 Sunday evening concert.  
WOS, 7:30 Missouri State prison band.

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"FOOLS AWAKENING"  
HARRISON FORD - ENID BENNETT - Alice Francis  
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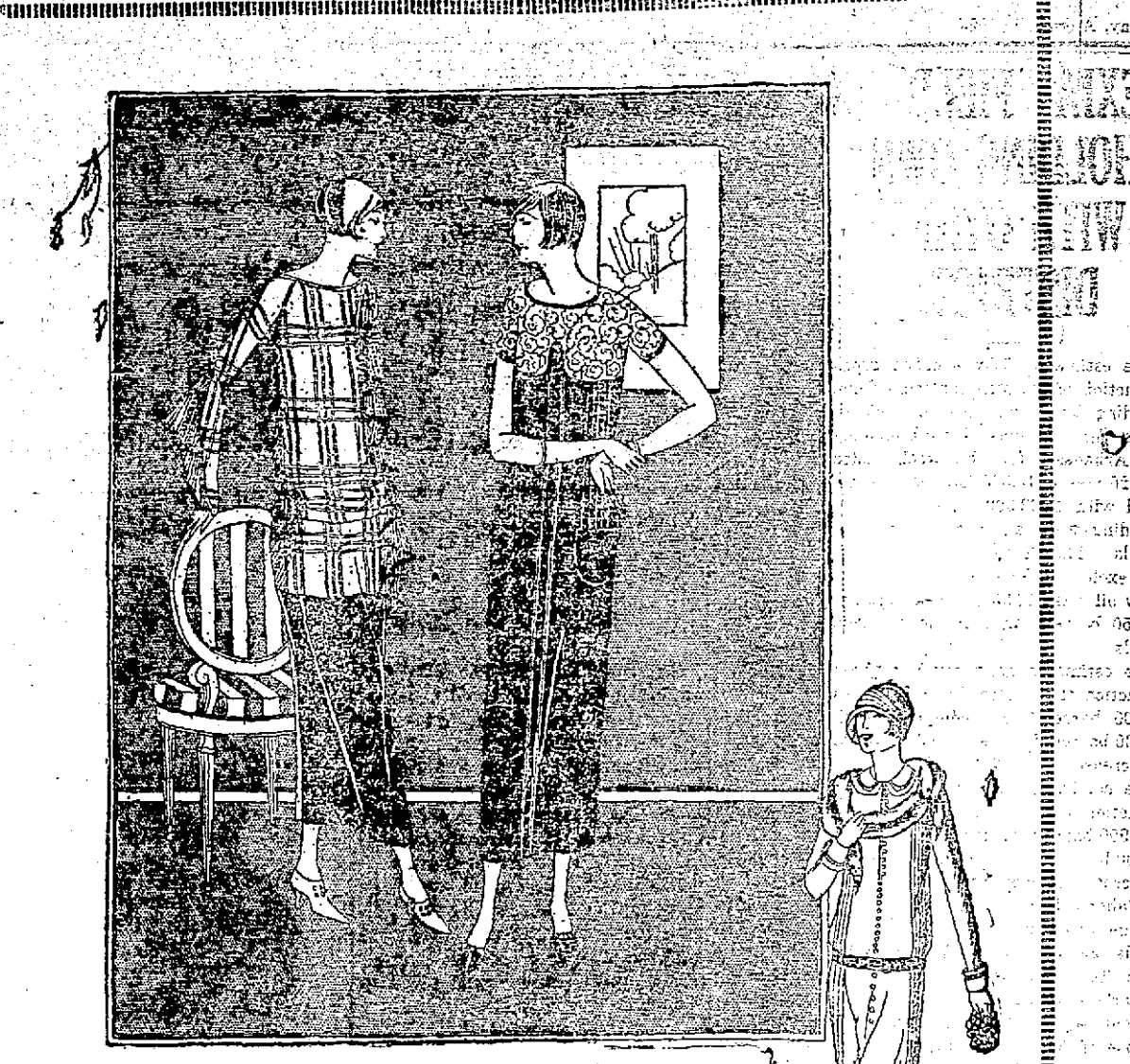
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## Costumes This Fall Are Featuring Spanish Influence

The long belted tunics hold their strong position; fringe and sou-tache stimulate the Spanish effect. Incongruously the silhouette retains its Indo-Chinese characteristic. It is either a long tube, or it is a tube with the combodian flare, added at the hip to stop at the knee or added at the knee to stop at the hem. This flare is achieved by godets inserted at intervals, pie shaped pieces with point at top or by circular set on sections.

In dresses black is foremost for day wear. Severely plain frocks of satin crepe and nanette Lustre Crepe Satin. Among the wools, plain styles are shown in Kasha and Rep, oddly enough, dark blue the accepted color where rep is employed and is frequently combined with red. Red is much used with black in restrained touches.

Coat styles of dresses in wool and crepe, show a diagonal closing with buttons, fastened at left hip and tailored long sleeves with gauntlet cuffs or the buttoned band running up back of arm for several inches. The models are plain, sometimes with and sometimes without collars.

Fringe is featured prominently. It appears in tired effects in diagonal treatments, to weight scarfs and tunics, and in many ways it strikes the Spanish cord in fashions. A single heavy silk tassel is a note frequently observed in crepe dresses and even coats.

The dress materials of the season deserving emphasis are velvet including artificial and printed varieties, crepe satin and artificial satin and all the corded silks such as faille, poplin and ottoman. Among the crepes are crepe de chine, romaine, maracoin, georgette and nanette. Wool dress fabrics stress kasha, rep and fine twills. For evening there is velvet and satin, net, beaded or embroidered tulle, metal cloth, and brocades, in lace silver and gold flounces.

## THE NEW IN HATS

Very small high crowned shapes with narrow rolled or straight brims shorter at the back than the front. The Spanish influence is emphasized and is featured in the high, flat crowned type of hat with straight sailor brim. These hats are trimmed with a band of gorsgrain or ribbon velvet occasionally caught by a nickle or pearl buckle.

Felt reigns supreme and is used in every shade on the color card. Brown however takes precedence. The new brown is a soft new shade of chestnut. In addition, the light pinkish tones of cinnamon are endorsed.

Trimnings are less and less in vogue and practically all the hats are now featured inconspicuously trimmed with fancy bands. A tuft of wings or a single flower, ribbons, ostrich fantasies, appliques of cut felt, self trimming in velvet ornamental pins, novel animal motifs in nickle, enamel and crystal are featured.

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# MEXIA FIELD IS HOLDING OWN WITH OTHER DISTRICTS

The estimated daily average gross production of the Mid-Continent field, including Oklahoma, Kansas, North Texas, Central Texas, North Louisiana and Arkansas, for the week ended July 28 was 1,010,500 barrels as compared with 1,003,900 barrels for the preceding week an increase of 6,600 barrels. The Mid-Continent production, excluding Smackover, Arkansas, heavy oil was 916,250 barrels, against 911,050 barrels, an increase of 5,200 barrels.

The estimated daily average gross production of the Gulf Coast field was 123,400 barrels, as compared with 120,500 barrels for the preceding week an increase of 2,900 barrels.

The combined daily average gross production of the Southwest field was 1,133,900 barrels, as compared with 1,124,400 barrels for the preceding week, an increase of 9,500 barrels.

Oklahoma-Kansas shows a daily average gross production of 565,650 barrels, an increase of 5,800 barrels; North Texas shows an increase of 500 barrels; Central Texas a decrease of 1,850 barrels; North Louisiana an increase of 300 barrels, and Arkansas an increase of 1,850 barrels. In Oklahoma production of Burbank is shown as 85,200 barrels against 85,300 barrels; Tonkawa 38,150 barrels against 37,000 barrels; Cromwell 48,700 barrels against 44,600 barrels; Stroud 17,500 barrels against 17,000 barrels; and output of the Bristow pool was 50,300 barrels, against 49,750. The Mexia pool, Central Texas is reported at 28,300 barrels; against 28,200 barrels; Corsicana-Powell 28,400 barrels, against 24,300 barrels; Haynesville, North Louisiana, 18,650 barrels, against 18,600 barrels and Smackover, light 38,400 barrels, against 37,800 barrels, heavy 94,250 barrels against 92,850 barrels. In the Gulf Coast field Hull is reported at 19,200 barrels, against 19,200 barrels; West Columbia 10,350 barrels, against 9,950 barrels, and Luling 44,400 barrels, against 40,400 barrels.

The estimated daily average gross production of the Wyoming and Montana field was 122,100 barrels as compared with 122,900 barrels for the preceding week, a decrease of 800 barrels. Salt Creek is reported at 57,600 barrels against 58,600 barrels.

## LIMESTONE DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

We, your committee on delegation, beg to submit the following as delegates to the State convention:

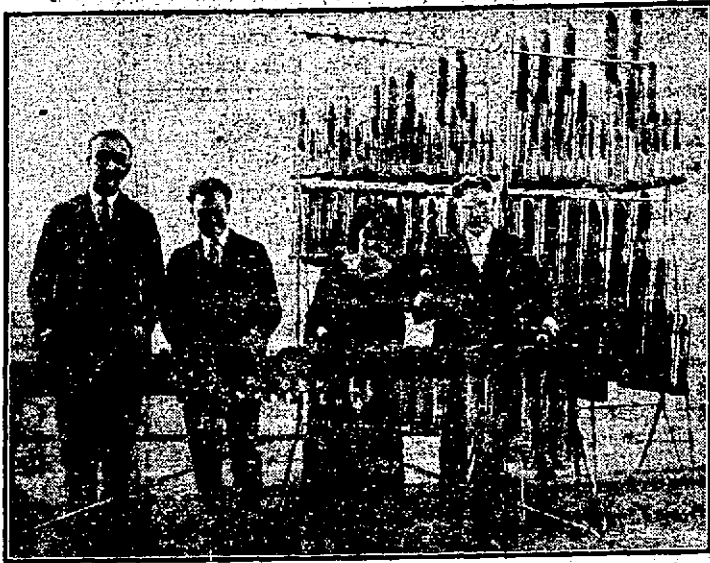
- K. S. Black, Thornton
- Dr. Barnett, Thornton
- C. A. Bates, Thornton
- W. L. Forbes, Kosse
- T. A. Griffin, Kosse
- Fletcher Allen, Kosse
- Jim Frazier, Coolidge
- A. J. Hancock, Coolidge
- Jno. Hill, Coolidge
- J. D. McElroy, Coolidge
- Joe Wilson, Mungler
- Scott Reed, Groesbeck
- Carl Cannon, Groesbeck
- Fletcher Adair, Groesbeck
- W. A. Browder, Groesbeck
- S. C. Foster, Groesbeck
- E. A. Allen, Groesbeck
- W. K. Matthews, Watt
- C. W. Moody, Watt
- F. G. Rummels, Prairie Hill
- S. T. Dyer, Prairie Hill
- W. P. Alexander, Prairie Hill
- G. W. Perkins, Mexia
- N. P. Houx, Mexia
- Ben B. Hunt, Mexia
- O. F. Watkins, Mexia
- A. G. Adair, Mexia
- A. H. Eubanks, Mexia
- A. H. Berry, Mexia
- Dave Murphy, Mexia
- Dr. R. B. Jackson, Mexia
- H. H. Alexander, Mustang
- Sam Ellison, Billington
- T. B. Mills, Farrar
- H. W. Mitchell, Kirk
- O. W. Cox, Kirk
- Tom McLendon, Kirk
- Joe Curlee, Ben Hur
- John Hudson, Datura
- F. H. Rankin, Tehuacana
- W. M. Moody, Tehuacana
- J. R. Sellers, Shiloh
- Dean Cox, Fallon
- Earl Hitt, Della
- Geo. Barnett, Oletha
- A. B. Crider, Personville
- B. D. Powell, Big Hill
- Leo Dorsett, Forest Glade
- Mrs. D. Oliver, Groesbeck
- Mrs. C. D. Kelly, Groesbeck
- Mrs. J. K. Stroud, Groesbeck
- Mrs. J. D. Whitcomb, Groesbeck
- Mrs. R. D. Morgan, Mexia
- Mrs. G. M. Tidwell, Mexia
- Mrs. J. D. Arrington, Mexia
- Mrs. W. M. White, Mexia
- Mrs. O. F. Watkins, Mexia
- Mrs. J. T. Satterwhite, Mexia
- Mrs. L. S. Suttle, Mexia
- Mrs. R. L. Hancock, Coolidge

Respectfully submitted,  
A. H. Berry,  
E. A. Allen,  
J. D. McElroy,  
Committee.

Miss A. Martin, of Oklahoma, is the charming visitor of Mrs. Bob Pratt on Ross avenue.

**OLD JURIST DEAD**  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 2.—George Shias, former associate judge United States Supreme Court, died in a hospital here Saturday after a lingering illness, aged 92.

## Great Evangelistic Party Coming to Mexia Christian Church



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C. R. L. Vawter is one of our best known evangelists. For sixteen years he has been holding revival meetings all over the United States, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand. Has had as many as 500 additions in a single church meeting. Especially does he appeal to men because of his logical reasoning power. Through his sermons his Irish wit is in evidence, and his sermons are intensely interesting. The musical party will add much to the services. They have a four and one-half octave Marimba-Xylophone and a set of Organ Chimes. The biggest and showiest instrument in the evangelistic field. They surely command the attention of the public. This meeting will begin early in September and continue about three weeks. Further announcement will be made later.

## FERGUSON FORCES FAIL TO CONTROL DELEGATES ASSEMBLED AT GROESBECK

The successful candidates for governor and the other for the other candidate to be voted on in the approaching primary. The chair listened to arguments on both sides of the substitute and then ruled Mr. Hanna out of order, stating that according to the convention system of the Democratic party the delegation committee would make only one report and then if some one desired to substitute another list that that would be the proper way to get the subject before the house.

As to the delegation committee, the chair stated that every delegation seeking a seat in the convention should submit its statement and credentials to the credentials committee, giving the deliberative body an opportunity to pass on the question and thus expedite matters considerably, assuring justice and fair play to all.

An amendment was then offered to the motion that the chair also appoint a committee of three on permanent organization.

The motion as amended prevailed with the opposition remaining silent.

The committees appointed were as follows:

Resolutions: Owen F. Watkins, W. P. Alexander and H. H. Alexander; Delegation: Albert H. Berry, E. A. Allen and J. D. McElroy; Credentials: Tom L. Cox, C. W. Moody and Steve F. Collins; Permanent Organization: L. S. Suttle, W. C. Cook and T. J. Cole.

The committees were instructed to meet at once in rooms in the court house, following which a motion prevailed to adjourn until one o'clock. The hour was spent with both sides working among the delegates to sound out how they stood on what had been done. When the convention reassembled at one o'clock, it was apparent from the outset that friends had been gained by the eloquent address of Ben B. Hunt, who had served as floor leader for the majority in all the deliberations of the body. His address was the subject on almost all lips and the convention generally was impressed with the fact that an endeavor was being earnestly made to proceed in a manner, fully in accord with law and in the spirit of fairness to all.

The convention met with the feeling that a real tilt was to feature the afternoon session. The chair called for a report from the committee on permanent organization. The committee recommended that the temporary chairman and secretary be made permanent. The motion prevailed with the opposition remaining silent when the vote on the negative was put, L. S. Suttle placing the motion before the house.

The chair then thanked the body for the confidence reposed in him and stated that he hoped that the deliberations of the convention would remain free from bitterness and that all would remember that they had come to represent and serve the best interests of the Democratic party, which sentiment he was sure was concurred in by the delegates present.

He called for a report from the committee on credentials. The report was made by Tom L. Cox. Since Kosse was not listed with the accredited delegates, Jim Bradley moved that the delegation from that point be seated. The chair asked the credentials committee whether Kosse had presented credentials to them.

Mr. Cox, replying for the committee, stated that none had been presented. A delegate from New Hope then was recognized stating that he was there without any credentials and that if Kosse was seated, every box in the county that had not held a precinct convention would be entitled to a seat but that he thought that the principle of protesting conventions by the law should be followed. The chair ruled Mr. Bradley's motion out of order, stating that he

had a wire from the attorney general's office stating that only duly elected delegates in properly held precinct conventions should be seated and have a vote. Bob Hanna then appealed from the ruling of the chair. The question was raised if there was not a motion before the house, and the chair ruled that there was such a motion but that a motion to overrule the chair was all ways in order and took precedence over whatever motion was before the body. Jim Bradley stated that it was not a matter of law, that the convention was the law in the matter and that it had a right to seat anyone it desired. Dr. Jackson also urged that anyone who wanted a seat in the Convention, if he was a true Democrat, that he should be seated and that no one wanted to violate the law but that all wanted fair play to Kosse democrats and to all other Democrats in the county.

Bob Hanna also spoke to his appeal from the chair. The chair stated that he had ruled the motion of Judge Bradley out of order, in view of the ruling from the office of the Attorney General and also anticipating the motion to over rule his decision, which would place the subject squarely before the convention.

Mr. Hanna stated that he had always stood for clean government, which provoked laughter among those present. Mr. Hanna then challenged anyone to point out where he had not shown himself a friend of clean government and offered \$10 to anyone who would show him a single instance of where he had done a questionable deed in politics. He started a defense of himself, but was quickly overruled by the chair and instructed to discuss the question before the house. The motion to overrule the chairman was put before the house on a roll call vote. The chair was overwhelmingly sustained by a vote of 42 to 27, a two thirds vote being required to overrule him.

The motion to adopt the credentials committee report was then put and given voice and carried without question.

The committee on delegates to the State Convention submitted its report through A. H. Berry. At the conclusion of the report, Bob Hanna arose and stated that only one Ferguson supporter was on the list

and indicated that he intended to say something for that candidate. The chair ruled him out of order, stating that since the State Committee had not made its official announcement of whom would be the nominees in the second democratic primary it would be unbecoming of a convention to involve itself into a wrangle over any candidate for governor, that to tolerate such a discussion would accomplish no end. This shut off discussion along that line and prevented any other from attempting to discuss either Ferguson or Robertson or any other candidate whose name is now before the Democrats of the county and state.

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## Alexander College Changed Its Name

JACKSONVILLE, Texas, Aug. 2.—Alexander college here, as it has been known for more than half a century, will be known hereafter as the Lon Morris College, according to a scheduled announcement today.

Name of the college was changed to honor the Reverend Alonzo Morris, Pittsburgh, Texas, who endowed the school to the amount of \$100,000. Reverend Morris has also recently made large gifts to the S. M. U. at Dallas and Southwestern university at Georgetown.

The name of the college was changed by the board of trustees under a provision by the Reverend Isaac Alexander, founder of the school, who indicated before his death that it was his wish that the school should bear the name of the person who should settle a large endowment upon the institution.

Mrs. J. F. Kendall from Brownwood, Texas, is visiting Mrs. W. R. Hodges on Milam street.

## JEFFRIES HOLDS SURGEONS AND THE GUSHERS WIN GAME

Nugent was wild, while Jeffries was in great form and held the Surgeons in the pinches. Ned Seely led the Gusher attack with two drives over the right field fence. Jeffries fanned eleven Surgeons and on six different occasions fanned his man for the third out and in the second, third, seventh, eighth and ninth innings struck out two batters when the Surgeons threatened to score. The Gushers will play Temple again Sunday at 3:30 o'clock.

Temple	ab	r	h	p	a	e
Lance 3 b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Bryan c f	4	0	2	3	1	0
Brown r f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Lind 1 b	4	0	1	8	3	0
Liessner 1 f	4	0	1	0	0	1
Windham 2 b	4	0	1	6	4	1
Bush s s	4	0	0	2	5	1
Henderson c	4	0	1	4	2	1
Nugent p	3	0	0	0	2	0

Total	24	0	7	24	17	4
Mexia						
Geppert s s	3	0	0	1	3	0
Butler c f	2	1	0	0	1	0
Jones 3 b	3	1	1	1	4	0
Seely r f	4	2	3	3	0	0
Powhies 1 f	3	1	0	0	0	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Naylor 1 b	1	1	1	9	1	0
Williamson c	4	1	1	10	1	0
Jeffries p	3	0	2	1	2	0

Total	26	7	8	27	13	0
Temple	000	000	000	0	0	0
Mexia	020	002	21	7		

Home runs—Seely 2. Two-base hits—Liessner. Stolen bases—Lind. Strike outs—By Nugent 4, Jeffries 11. Bases on balls—Off Nugent 7, Jeffries 1.

## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and this will be followed with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

This is the last night of the cooperative services and a change of schedule is necessary because Dr. Hudson is out of town. Rev. Aubrey will preach at the Christian church, and Rev. Reaves will preach at the Methodist church. These services begin at 8:15 p. m.

The Sunday school and Leagues will meet at their appointed hours.

The pastor starts on his vacation Monday and will be away two Sundays.

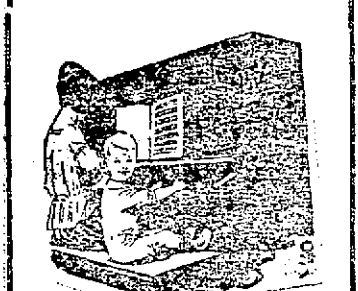
Policemen, like rainbows, are apt to appear after the storm is over.

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—Dudley Buck—Sung by Miss Bernadine Aubrey.

Evening service a Cooperative Service at First Christian Church.

Rev. Aubrey will preach on "The Sins of the Saints."

Sunday school will be held each Sunday morning at 9:45 a. m. during August but no other services will be held at Central Presbyterian church unless announcement is made of same. Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey and baby accompanied with Miss Bernadine Aubrey of Denison, Texas, will leave on their vacation August 5th to be away for the remainder of August. Rev. Aubrey plans to visit his mother at Denison first. From Denison they plan to go to Wolfe City for a visit to the home of Mrs. Aubrey. Regular services resumed the first Sunday in September.

## ANOTHER NEW HOME.

Dr. W. Duke Pittman is building a new home on North Kaufman street, just north of his father's home, which will cost, besides the lot, about \$6000. Thus the building of homes in Mexia goes steadily forward.

## LADIES DAY.

Monday will be ladies day at Gusher Park. All ladies are admitted free. Monday game starts at 4 p. m. Mexia versus Temple.

## Patterson's Column



AT ALMOST every club luncheon

AND AT every meeting of the

CHAMBER OF Commerce there has

BEEN FOR a long time much

TALK ABOUT getting the out of

TOWN FOLKS to come into Mexia

BUT NOTHING has so far come

FROM ANY suggestion

THIS THEN is to say that I am

GOING TO put into effect soon

A PLAN that will bring 5000

PEOPLE FROM other communities

TO MEXIA for one day

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WORK WITH committees for this

AND THAT nor will any

SUBSCRIPTION LIST be generally

CIRCULATED

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WILL BE secured from a few

PUBLIC SPIRITED citizens

AND EVERY merchant will be given

AN OPPORTUNITY to do his bit

AND HE can well rest assured

THAT HE will be repaid ten fold

FOR ALL he puts into this plan

EVERY BUSINESS man in this town

WILL BE urged to co-operate but

NOBODY WILL be begged

WHEN WE start this it will

GO THROUGH and when it passes

INTO HISTORY it will be set down

AS THE biggest day any country

TOWN EVER experienced

PLEASE WATCH this column for

ANNOUNCEMENT OF detailed plans

AS THEY are developed

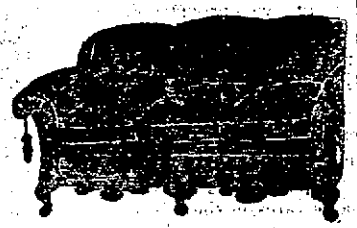
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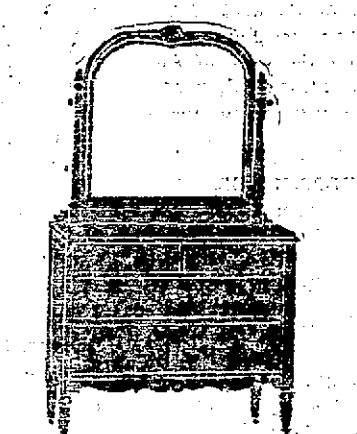
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—PATTERSON.

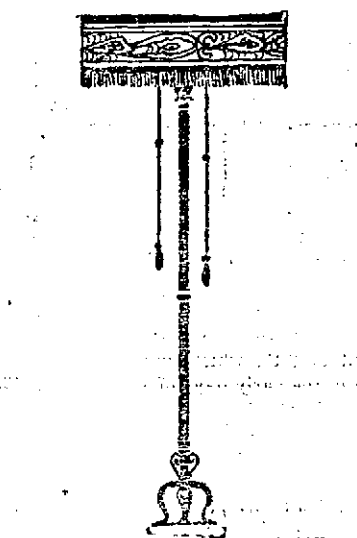
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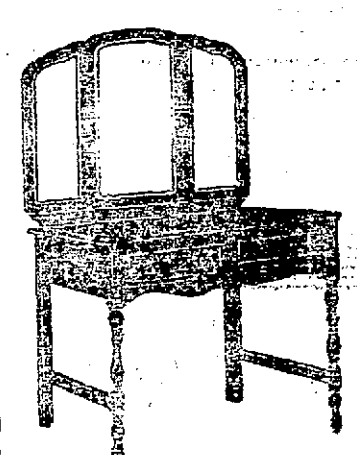
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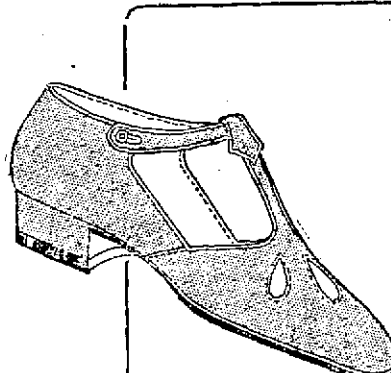


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## "For Mexia, I WILL"

### INDUSTRY BEGETS INDUSTRY.

That industry begets industry is reflected in the attitude of folks everywhere following the consummation of some certain hope. For example, the building of a cotton mill in Mexia this year will be just the beginning of a great industry here. After it is built, then there'll be another. At least that's the way Waco looks at it. In the Waco News-Tribune of Saturday, there appeared the following comment:

The people of Waco read with interest the story Friday of the concrete steps taken in preparing to build the new Texas cotton mill at Mexia.

Mexia has had the matter under consideration for a year or more, and now the charter has been granted with a capital stock of \$450,000, the plant to manufacture cotton goods. J. K. Hughes, one of the three incorporators mentioned, is one of the 100 directors of the Texas Centennial, having been chosen from the Waco district, and W. V. Crawford is the other director from the district.

People of Mexia showed their faith in the cotton mill industry by putting up the cash. Waco just now has an opportunity to land another big cotton mill, and it is believed that the chance will not be neglected. As soon as business men return to Waco from their vacations definite and final action is to be taken.

### KIWANIS CLUBS TO WORK FOR VOTE

A vigorous campaign to get all voters to vote in the fall elections is being planned by all the Kiwanis clubs of the country, in accordance with policies which have been adopted by Kiwanis International at a meeting just concluded here.

In 1896 80% of all those eligible voted in the presidential elections; in 1900, 73% voted; in 1908 the percentage decreased to 66%; in 1912 there was a further decrease to 62%; and in 1920 less than 50% of the voters exercised their franchise.

"This campaign," said Victor M. Johnson, newly elected president of Kiwanis International, "will be to urge all citizens to express the desires of the entire people, and not less than half of them. A continuation of the present low voting percentage would certainly lead to the impracticabilities and danger of a radical minority. The work of the clubs will be part of our general campaign to promote an intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship."

"There is no partisanship in this campaign, and no fund is being raised to carry it on. Members of each of the 1250 Kiwanis Clubs will work in their communities, purely on a basis of developing this much needed citizenship."

All civic clubs in Limestone County would render a high service by joining with the Kiwanis club in this worthy endeavor.

### FARMERS LISTEN TO COUNTY AGENTS.

"There was a time when the county agricultural agent was not regarded as essential. Farmers looked upon him with suspicion," declares the Greenville Banner. His ideas were called "new fangled" and impractical. Many resented any tendency to change them from practices that had been handed down to them from generations back.

Gradually, especially in the prosperous and most progressive counties of this state and nation as well, this attitude has been changed. The farmer sends his sons to an agricultural college in order to make it possible for them to compete with the educated, scientific farmer of tomorrow and they heed the county agent just as they insist upon their own children heeding the words of the teachers in school.

The county agent that devotes the major portion of his time toward teaching the most advanced ideas in farming is sure to render his constituency a valuable service and by him and his efforts home conditions in rural sections will be bettered.

His duties should be and are generally along extension lines and in distributing information helpful in all fields of farm endeavor.

Limestone County needs such an agent, if she would go forward rapidly and keep abreast with the best.

### IMMORTAL STORIES FOR YOUTH AND AGE

Children of America lost a dear friend when Palmer Cox passed away. His elfin figures came to be quite well known in the juvenile world, just like the illustrious characters chronicled in Alice of Wonderland, Palace of Oz and other popular children's stories. Cox has departed but he has left his footprints on the sands of time in his Brownie stories. They will live throughout the generations yet unborn when children will still be told of and believe in kingdoms and palaces and other worlds.

that there is in Christianity itself that conquering power which will make such an undesirable situation impossible. However, it must be said that Christianity unless it is embodied and in a militant state cannot overcome the forces of evil which are to be found on every hand in this day. All impotent and inconsequential Gospel is powerless to cope with the task. The love of leisure that is in itself destructive of some of our highest and most cherished ethical conceptions is one of the powerful factors shaping the thinking of the day. In spite of all our efforts there yet remains in America a vast portion of the population that is not directly affected by the influence of the Church. The solution of the problem of course is to bring these people more directly under the power of the Gospel and the influence of the Church. Just how that is to be done is of course, the very heart of the problem. But that it must be done it would seem that all will heartily agree.

Professor Joseph A. Leighton, in chapter entitled "The Recrudescence of Paganism," in his book, "Religion and the Mind of Today," gives utterance to these words, which will give pause to every thoughtful reader; "No great civilization has ever outlasted the demise of its religious faith. If the moral bases of our culture are in imminent danger, the danger can be averted only by a new crusade on behalf of social righteousness and personal integrity, animated by a religious view of life. I need not remind you that here the Christian and the Jew stand together on the common ground of a prophetic ethical religion, whose controlling principle of faith and action is the vision of a righteous social order, the Kingdom of God."

In this connection it is not at all out of place to call attention to that homely and neglected doctrine—the doctrine of repentance. The glorious Gospel of the blessed God—as Paul refers to it—is sufficient for the needs of this day, and is the only solvent.

### HACK WILSON, OF GIANTS REAL FIND FOR MCGRAW

(By International News Service)

NEW YORK, July 31.—Every once in a while a youngster comes into the big league and makes good. This year Hack Wilson, outfielder of the Giants, short and pudgy, but with a pair of shoulders like a wrestler, is the "star" of the National League. Wilson is a fixture. He is at the heels of Rogers Hornsby for batting honors, can field his position like a veteran and is the "spark plug" of the older circuit. Wilson's specialties are three-base hits—very timely hits. McGraw got him from the Virginia League, and he did not cost a fortune, like some of the "flippers" who also tried to graduate from the minors.

The brain of an elephant is larger than that of a man, but his trunk is smaller than that of a woman.

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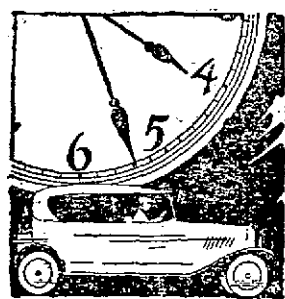
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### FAMOUS FRENCH RECIPES

(By International News Service)

#### Cherry Cake.

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Roll very fine about one-fifth pound dry bread crumbs and pass through a large sieve. Mix it in a salad-bowl, with the same amount of powdered sugar. Add a little vanilla and incorporate three whole eggs.

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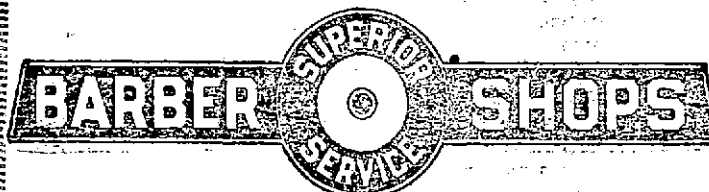
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### TEXAS INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

All indications point to better prices for farm crops, more normal farm labor conditions and above all greater purchasing power for the farmer's dollar than for years past. This condition is coming about through natural rather than artificial means and will produce sound business for a long time.

**Batson-Kirby Petroleum Company's** Hodges No. 2 comes in at depth of 3,008 feet, producing 1,000 barrels of 26-gravity oil daily.

**Eagle Pass**—Plans and specifications completed for reconstruction of \$250,000 international steel vehicle and foot bridge connecting Piedras Negras, Mexico, and this town.

**San Antonio**—Additions to be built to Mark junior school building and Thomas Nelson Page school building.

**Houston**—\$3,000,000 fig crop estimated for Houston territory this season.

**Sherman**—Building at corner of Travis and Wall streets being improved.

**San Antonio**—Alamo Heights Presbyterian congregation plans erection of \$80,000 church.

**Austin**—State highway commission to spend \$450,000 for new road equipment.

**Denison**—1,000,000-gallon standpipe to be erected.

**Port Arthur**—Ship canal, below Texas Company terminals, being dredged to depth of 30 feet.

**San Antonio**—City experiencing home-building boom.

**Texas** to ship 335,000 head of cattle within next six months.

**Navasota**—\$75,000 bond issue voted for paving streets.

**Port Arthur**—Port Arthur Ice & Refrigeration Company to expend \$35,000 for plant improvements.

**Richland**—Oxford Oil Company's Davis No. B-1 comes in making 1,200 barrels daily.

**Dilley**—Estimates being prepared for construction of Dilley-Eagle Pass highway; contract to be let in Oct.

**Smithville**—New high school building nearing completion.

**San Antonio**—Store building to be erected on Main street at cost of \$10,500.

**Dallas**—Preliminaries under way for paving fourth group of streets under \$1,250,000 bond issue.

**Texas** wool crop this year estimated at 22,000,000 pounds, according to experienced growers.

**Houston**—Largest interlocked traffic signal system in world being installed here.

**Smithville**—Permit granted for organization of \$500,000 cotton mill company.

**Largest cantaloupe crop** in history of Webb county being harvested.

**Graham**—\$40,000 hospital building to be erected.

**Kilburg**—School building under construction.

**Mexia**—Bellnap street being paved.

**Austin**—\$800,000 Masonic temple to be erected.

**Port Worth**—Nine-story 400-room Methodist hospital to be built at cost of \$1,000,000.

**Dallas**—Work to start in 60 days on construction of \$500,000 12-story hotel building.

**Waco**—Work to start soon on athletic stadium and gymnasium for Waco high school.

**Dallas**—General Motors Truck Corporation to build \$40,000 structure.

**Floydada**—1,000 cars of extra high-grade wheat shipped from Floyd county.

**Port Neches**—Kansas City Southern depot to be under construction soon.

**Laredo**—Street car system extending lines.

The general taxpayer must make up to the government the amounts which it loses through inability to tax the income from billions of tax-exempt bonds.

Now is the time for greatest fire caution in forests and persons guilty of negligence with fire in forests should be dealt with severely.

As a matter of fact, industries operated politically for a favored few are paid for by the many through taxation. The average citizen may not realize this until he stops to figure it out—but he pays the bill just the same.

**Slidell, Louisiana**—Fine opening here for canning factory for strawberries, beans, shrimp and fish. Two trunk line railroads, river and ocean boats. Cheap land estimated to clear \$800 an acre on beans or strawberries. 30 miles from New Orleans. Address Slidell Sun, Slidell, Louisiana.

**BONHAM**—New cable for the local telephone company is expected to arrive here any day and the work of improving the telephone service here is under way.

**MIDLAND**—C. C. Watson, editor of the Reporter here in his paper this week reviews his twenty-five years in that position and describes the progress of Midland for a quarter of a century.

**ABILENE**—The West Texas Utilities Company has extended electric service to Benjamin, county seat of Knox County, by the building of a 13,000 volt transmission line from Knox City.

**HOUSTON**—The new building of the Houston Dispatch, the paper edited by Col. George Bailey, is to be built in the industrial district where railroad facilities are available to handle paper without use of trucks.

**CHILDRESS**—A high tension transmission line connecting the power stations of the Texas Central Power Company in this territory is to be built. Franchise for such a line has been granted in this county.

**BONHAM**—C. R. English is now

## Simplicity Marks Coolidge's Life; President Keeps His Modest Home In Town Where He Rose to Fame



HALF THIS DOUBLE HOUSE IS COOLIDGE HOME IN NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

Simplicity and reserve are outstanding characteristics of Calvin Coolidge.

Of humble origin, he has risen to the heights along a self-blazed trail, without evidence of pomp or circumstance. Even after he had attained high public office, it was his desire to live modestly as a "plain American" and as an inspiration to those who bear his name.

Always the farmer boy, the nation's Chief Executive retains his keen affection for Vermont's rolling hills and never is he more content than he is at home among his own people.

"Vermont is my birthright," he has said. "Here one gets close to nature, in the mountains, in the brooks, the waters of which hurry to the sea; in the lakes, shining like silver in their green setting; fields filled not by machinery, but by the brain and hand of man. My folks are happy and contented. They belong to themselves, live within their income and fear no man."

The modesty of Calvin Coolidge has been manifested throughout his career. When he first went from Northampton, Mass., to Boston as an obscure member of the State Legislature, he sought out an inside room on the upper floor of a hotel. There he found the seclusion he loved and the arrangement satisfied his idea of thrift. After his service in the State Legislature, when the citizenry of Massachusetts selected him as a candidate for governor, those who notified him of his nomination found him in this same unpretentious place.

And after his election the family home in Northampton, half of a modest two-family dwelling, renting for thirty-odd dollars a month, was retained. Officialdom might have been

somewhat surprised by this decision. The good folk of Northampton who had watched the progress of their adopted son were not. The wooden house was good enough for the Governor and Mrs. Coolidge agreed with him.

Then came the nomination for the Vice-Presidency, and subsequent election to that responsible office. The good folk of Northampton then thought surely they would lose their neighbor. They did not. The Vice-President-elect went to Washington and rented a suite in the Willard Hotel, but the vans never backed up to the doors of the Northampton house. It remained Vice-President Coolidge's home.

When fate ordained that Calvin Coolidge be vested with the Presidency, the White House his official residence, things looked somewhat dubious for the modest home in

Northampton. History has recorded the President's attitude. His widowed mother-in-law occupies the half-house, but it is still Home Sweet Home to the Coolidge family.

The folk of Northampton are the President's neighbors. He is jealous of his association with them and the affection is reciprocated. This regard for his people is reflected more eloquently perhaps than in any other way by a letter he wrote to James Lucey, a town cobbler, with whom he often talked before going to Washington the first time. Lucey, whose quaint philosophy often had helped the President, received this word: just after his "Cal" became President:

"Not often do I see you or write you but I want you to know that if it were not for you I should not be here and I want to tell you how much I love you. Do not work too much now and try to enjoy yourself in your well-earned hours of age."

home of Charles Dickens, has been transformed into a boarding school for girls.

With a dog as her principal companion, an Englishwoman recently

travelled more than 26,000 miles in the middle of Africa.

Mrs. Abbie H. Roberson, prominent clubwoman of Brattleboro, is the first woman to seek a seat in the

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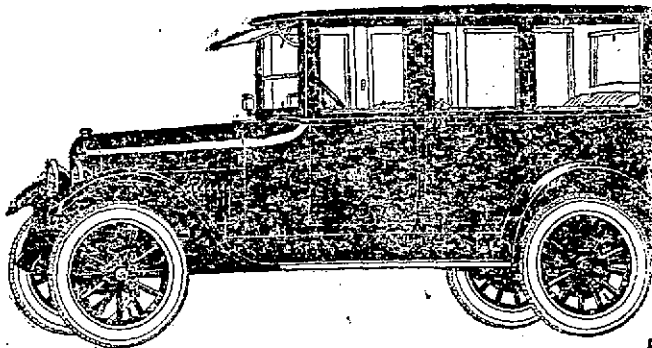
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The "Grand Old Woman of Methuen" is a title bestowed upon Mrs. L. M. Fields, now in her ninetieth year, who has attended the Des Plaines (Ill.) camp meeting regularly for more than half a century.

Mary Anderson de Navarro, the once famous American actress, will reach her 65th birthday anniversary on July 28. For many years she has lived in quiet retirement at her country home in Worcestershire, England.

Miss Virginia C. Gildersleeve, dean of Barnard College and one of the most brilliant of American women educators, has been nominated for the presidency of the International Federation of University Women which is about to open its third biennial convention at Christiania.

There are some women in New York who earn their living simply by shopping. These women are the "price testers" employed by the big stores. Their work consists in visiting stores selling similar goods to those sold by their employers and purchasing or closely examining articles so that relative prices and quality may be compared.

The Queen of Spain has a wonderful dolls' house, given to her by her godmother, the late ex-Empress Eugenie of France. It is an exact model to scale of the Tuileries, and was constructed at a cost of \$7,500. Queen Ena keeps this dolls' house, which is among her most prized possessions in the royal palace at Madrid.

Queen Mary is said to be far more economical in the matter of clothes than is generally understood. Periodically she makes a personal inspection of her wardrobe, in order to decide what clothes shall be reserved for wear on subsequent occasions and what shall be disposed of as no longer required. Much of the lace used upon her gowns belongs to her very private collection, and as soon as it has served its purpose it is carefully removed by her maids and packed away for use on some subsequent occasion.

Cotton Exchange was a visitor to Mexia Friday.

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## Case Of Baseball Vs Golf and Tennis

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—As they come down the back-stretch in the major league baseball races, it begins to look more than ever like the Giants and the Yanks for the world series. And my guess would make the Giants favorites in the big series.

A few weeks ago this column said the Yanks were fading fast, but would probably muster strength enough to pull out and win the 1924 pennant. It still looks that way. Naturally, there is an "if." That is the saving grace in baseball.

Huggins must have luck and comparative freedom from injuries if he gets under the wire ahead. He isn't getting much pitching, but the Yanks pack a terrific punch and the team is hitting again. But a blanket would cover the first four clubs, and Huggins knows that if the Yanks stub their toes, all seven of their competitors will "put the boots" to his noble athletes if they get three points down. And they'll chance a foul, at that.

So much for the Yanks, who, before the season began, were runaway favorites.

The good, old Giants! The experts, April 1, said John McGraw, had only an old glove, his personal brain and a hand of "has-beens and never-wases", fitted only for the old folks' home. They turned the Giants loose in the cellar and invited seven other clubs to go eat them up.

Well, the Giants are breezing along in front and look certain to cop. Cincinnati, picked by many to beat the Giants and be in the series has failed. When Grover Alexander busted his wrist the Cubs had an awful blow. The Pirates pulled up, but they don't seem to have the stuff to win against the Giants.

On form, the Giants were beaten when the ump yelled: "Play ball!" in April. Cincinnati had the call. Then, in stepped Lady Luck. When fate begins to give a ball team a lick in the seat of the pants, the only refuge is armor-plate. If there was any bad luck that "Jack" Hendricks, Reds manager, didn't get, it was being saved up for the presidential race. Pitchers were wrong, infielders cracked bones, a black cat attended every game and sat on the Reds' bench.

The fact is that golf and the motor-car is increasingly threatening the so-called "national" game. On a recent Sunday, with the Browns as opponents, the Yanks played, under a perfect sky, to almost as many vacant as filled seats.

The links were crowded, the tennis courts had huge waiting lists and the country roads were thick with everything from Ford's fleas to the most expensive importation.

Maybe this was why the Yanks and Browns couldn't fill the stadium.

But, meanwhile Cincinnati is to have a new semi-public golf course that will give more thousands a chance to play, not watch. Some of these days public or semi-public golf courses will be as plentiful in and around the big cities as tennis courts are now, and if houses are in the way, they will simply be moved.

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This bronze statue of Blackstone, famous British legal commentator, has been presented by the American Bar Association to the English Bar Association to commemorate their joint debt to the common law of England. The statue has been set up in the Central Hall of the Royal Courts of Justice in London.

## REFUND CHECKS BEING MAILED OUT

James W. Bass, Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Texas, states that his office has begun to issue and mail out checks for the refund of the 25% reduction of Federal income taxes paid in full for the 1923, as provided by the Act of 1924. This bill was signed by the President and became law on June 2nd. The first checks covering refunds were mailed out July 29th.

It was necessary to list nearly 30,000 accounts, showing the names and addresses, serial number of returns, total amount of tax paid and the one-fourth due to be refunded. Then these lists had to be forwarded to the Department for approval and returned for payment, when a like number of checks will be issued.

Upon the passage of the Act it was necessary for the Treasury Department to prepare and issue instructions as to the procedure for the 65 col-

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tion districts throughout the United States. Upon receipt of the preliminary instructions, Collector Bass states that his office began immediately on this work, although it was at the time of the June 15th quarter, and that when final procedure had been arrived at and upon receipt of same on Monday, June 30th, immediately began the completion of the lists, getting off 2,000 items to the Department the next day, July 1st, and finishing the entire number of 30,000 items Saturday, July 19th. His office received 1500 from the Bureau yesterday, approved, and checks have gone out to cover. He expects to get all refunds out within the very near future. After this is completed the matter of credits on accounts not paid in full will be handled prior to September 1st so that the taxpayers may get the benefit thereof and receive a correct bill for the September 15th quarterly payment.

Collector Bass was much pleased by the service given these taxpayers by his office and the Treasury Department. He stated that the taxpayers might not appreciate the effort required on the part of the Collector's office force to handle this matter so promptly but in keeping with the desire of the Treasury Department to make this refund promptly his force worked overtime and at night to accomplish it.

## Tonsils and Adenoids

Letter No. 6

## Giving the Child a Better Chance.

## IS YOUR CHILD HANDICAPPED?

Does your child's nose run or is it sore? Does the child snuffle?

Are the eyes red? Are there fever sores or eczema around the nose and mouth?

Does the child seem dull? Does it stand and look at you with open mouth?

Does it put its hands to its head as though it had earache? Does it take cold easily?

Does the child sleep with its mouth open? Does it snore?

If the answer to any of these is Yes, ask the doctor if the child has adenoids or large tonsils.

## Tonsils

Tonsils often become diseased and stick out into the throat. Sometimes they do not get any larger but become diseased and contain little cups filled with infection. These diseased tonsils often hold poisonous germs which may cause throat trouble or may be carried to other parts of the body and cause sickness.

## Adenoids

Adenoids look like a little head of cauliflower, colored red. They grow in the back part of the throat where the nose and throat join, and can be seen only by the doctor with a special mirror. They stop up the nose and make the child breathe through its mouth.

When the child breathes through the mouth, much dust and many germs get into the body.

Adenoids should always be removed.

## Earache

Earache often means that the child has adenoids. Earache always means that the child is in danger of getting deaf. Also the child is in danger of getting a running ear and there is danger of the disease reaching the brain. A running ear should always be treated by an ear doctor, it will not get well without good care.

## Large Glands

Often poison gathers in the nose, throat or ears. The glands of the neck try to carry this poison away. This overwork makes the glands enlarge and lumps often form.

## Other Diseases

Diseased tonsils and adenoids hold poisonous germs which frequently are carried to other parts of the body and cause sickness. Rheumatism and heart disease often come in this way. These germs also cause stomach, bowel or lung diseases.

A child with adenoids and diseased tonsils can get diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and whooping cough very easily. Such a child will have the disease worse than a child who has had adenoids and diseased tonsils removed.

## Stupid Children

Often children who seem stupid and who do not learn rapidly can be made healthy and normal by the removal of diseased tonsils and adenoids.

It is wrong to blame children for backwardness when they cannot hear, see or smell properly or are suffering from pains from diseased tonsils or adenoids.

## Have Them Removed

Adenoids and diseased tonsils can be removed at any time of the year. Don't wait, thinking they will get better. It is dangerous. The child may lose its hearing if you put it off.

Watch carefully for the danger signals—mouth breathing and earache.

Always go to a good doctor at once.

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## TOM GIBBONS MAKING REAL HIT IN ENGLAND

(By International News Service)

LONDON, July 31.—Tom Gibbons, the St. Paul fighter, is creating a furor in England. Tom is to meet Jack Bloomfield on August 9. They are betting 5 to 1 that the American will win. Tom is endearing himself in the hearts of the Englishmen, and he has displaced Georges Carpentier, French idol, as the favorite foreign fighter.

The English have made Tom very comfortable. He is training in the exclusive London Country Club, where he has luxurious quarters and liveried lackies at his command. What a contrast to the training quarters in Montana, where Tom prepared a year ago for his championship go with Jack Dempsey.

## TOT, 3, GETS MEDAL FOR SAVING ANOTHER'S LIFE

(By International News Service)

MASSENA, N. Y., July 31.—For bravery in saving the life of three-year-old William Ward, who fell into the Tacaquet River on the morning of March 20, Dorothy Olive Peden,

also three, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peden, today is the recipient of a bronze hero medal.

The presentation was made, on behalf of a St. Louis Hero Commission, by Rev. F. O. Cunningham.

William fell into the river through the ice while walking across, accompanied by Dorothy and her five-year-old brother. The brother ran away, but Dorothy reached down and helped her playmate out.

Though she was brave enough in the face of danger, Dorothy was awed by the crowd when her name was called to receive the medal, and her mother had to lead her to the platform.

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Lynch Davidson, of Houston, born in Limestone County, is yet hopeful of being in the run off gubernatorial primary the latter part of this month. He declares that he will lead for second place when the official count is made on August 11, in Dallas. "Nothing short of an official count" will determine who is the winner, he stated.

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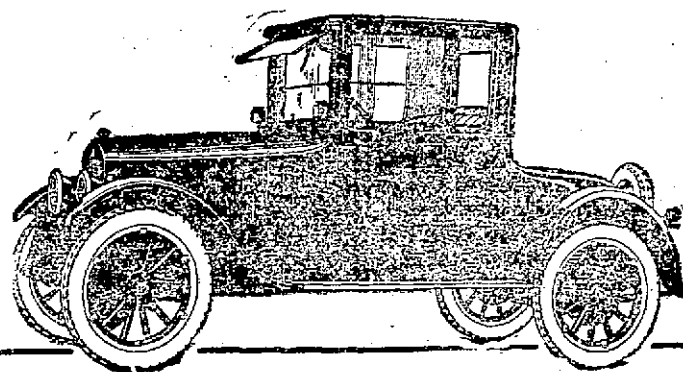
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## PALESTINE WINS IN GAME WITH GROESBECK GOATS

The fast Palestine baseball team defeated the Groesbeck Goats at Nowlin Park Friday afternoon 6 to 1. The Palestine team is composed of a number of college players and it is a fast aggregation.

Polvogt, a little right hander, was in the box for the East Texas boys and he pitched superb ball allowing the Goats but four hits, two of these coming in the ninth inning after one was down. The first was in the second inning and the other in the third. Polvogt struck out six men.

Clarence Tiner was in the box for the Goats and whiffed eight men. He was touched for twelve hits, three coming in the ninth when the Palestine boys scored four runs.

Dewey Smalley, former Texas third baseman, and playing third for Palestine was the hitting hero of the day with three singles and a triple in five times at bat. Charles Swartz and H. Williamson also hit well, Swartz getting three singles and Williamson getting two singles and a two-base hit.

Sniper Connally, manager of the Goats, an old Baylor star, playing centerfield for the Goats turned in one of the prettiest catches ever witnessed at Nowlin Park. In the eighth inning with two men on base, Ferguson, hit a long high fly to right center which Connally finally got under in time to spear it from over his head and then fell headlong against the fence. But he held the ball, thus retiring the side.

Manager Connally stated that they were likely to play a game or two here with the Mart Maulers some time next week but that announcements would be made to that effect.

Palestine—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
H. Williamson c f	5	1	3	1	0	0
Cherry l f	5	1	0	0	0	0
C. Williamson 2 b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Wolf l b	5	1	0	16	0	1
Smalley 3 b	5	2	4	0	2	0
Swartz s s	5	1	3	0	3	0
Hale r f	5	0	2	0	0	0
Ferguson c	4	0	1	6	0	0
Polvogt p	3	0	1	1	5	0
Total	41	6	12	27	13	1

Groesbeck—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pierison 2 b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Strickland 3 b	4	1	1	1	1	2
S. Connally c f	3	0	1	2	0	0
Mimmick l b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Farley s s	4	0	0	2	3	0
Hornbeck l f	3	0	0	2	0	0
R. Connally 3 b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Scheiffer c	3	0	0	8	0	1
Tiner p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Total	31	1	4	27	10	3

Three-base hits—Smalley. Two-base hits—H. Williamson, S. Connally. Strike outs—By Polvogt 6, Tiner 8. Base on balls—Off Polvogt 1. Hit batsman (C. Williamson) by Tiner. Umpires—Lee and Akin.

CORNICANA, Texas, Aug. 2.—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	4	0	0	5	0	0
Grubb 3 b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Thornton l b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Brown c f s s	3	0	0	1	1	0
Barrett r f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Mainquist 2 b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Sain s s	1	0	0	3	6	0
Vann c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Cantrell c f	2	0	0	0	3	0
Lovelace c f	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hollis	1	0	0	0	0	0
Byers c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	27	0	0	27	14	0

### CARL HILL HURLS NO-HIT CONTEST

CORNICANA, Texas, Aug. 2.—Carl Hill pitched a no hit no run game for Mexia against Corsicana Friday. Mexia evened series 3 to 0. Leedy hit home run in the ninth inning.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	4	0	0	5	0	0
Grubb 3 b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Thornton l b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Brown c f s s	3	0	0	1	1	0
Barrett r f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Mainquist 2 b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Sain s s	1	0	0	3	6	0
Vann c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Cantrell c f	2	0	0	0	3	0
Lovelace c f	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hollis	1	0	0	0	0	0
Byers c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	27	0	0	27	14	0

Mexia—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cepert s s	4	0	1	1	4	0
Buttler c f	4	0	1	1	0	0
Jones 3 b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Seely r f	4	0	0	4	0	0
Fowlkes l f	3	2	1	2	0	0
Leedy 1 b	3	1	1	2	1	1
Naylor 2 b	4	0	0	11	0	1
Williamson c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Hill p	3	0	0	0	5	0
Total	32	3	5	27	14	2

Hollis batted for Vann in eighth. Mexia 000 010 002—3. Corsicana 000 000 000—0.

Home run—Leedy. Two-base hit—Cepert. Strike outs—By Hill 3, Cantrell 1. Bases on balls—Off Cantrell 2, Hill 1.

### FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

NEW YORK.—The welterweight championship fight between Mickey Walker and Benny Leonard will be at the Yankee stadium August 20. After much controversy Tex Rickard put the management of the fight in the hands of Jimmy Johnston, promoters at the stadium.

NEW ORLEANS.—Young Marullo New Orleans won by a technical knock out from Bryan Downey of Cleveland in the 10th round of a scheduled 15 round affray here last night.

WITH RUTH AT THE PLATE  
First inning—Walked.  
Third inning—Singled.  
Fifth—Singled.  
Seventh—Walked.  
Ninth—Bunted safely.

## VICTOR AND VANQUISHED IN OLYMPIC TENNIS.



Helen Wills, the California marvel and national tennis title holder, is shown receiving the congratulations of Mlle. Vlasto, of France, whom she defeated in Paris in the Olympic tennis singles for the world's championship.

## SPORT LIGHTS

The Mexia High School football team this year bids fair to be the best squad put out here in years. Coach Ernest Porter is looking forward to a big year with fine support from the start.

The State meet in football this year is divided into Classes A and B. Mexia is in the latter class. By this classification, Mexia and other schools of similar size, under 350 students, will not be required to meet Class A teams until through practice and preparations they are ready to face the teams from bigger schools.

Falls, Milam and Robertson counties are thinking about going in "cakhoots" and hiring a Boy Scout Executive Secretary to give his full time to the training of Scouts in all their many qualities. Why couldn't Limestone make a fourth county to get in with the three mentioned and put it across. It'll take a little money to do it, but the fund will grow in boys far more rapidly than in bank deposit or in pockets where the wife can get to it.

Westminster College football is looking up. Some of the big games on the schedule of the college should be played in Gusher park. That school is as close to Mexia proper as S. M. U. is to a down town fan in Dallas. Coach Lewis has the assurance of a big lot of new and old material.

The Groesbeck Goats and the Mart Maulers are running neck and neck or nose and nose for the flag in the News-Tribune contest. The chances are

bright for the Goats to butt the Maulers out of first place. The game is young yet.

Jinx Tucker is giving a lot of the boys here "Jinxits." They are retreating, however, and he is down with Mexiatitis. He shows a disposition to grow weary of the disease, and his come back Saturday was as laconic as a Mexican General's report of a tilt with Villa. Here's how it happened in The News-Tribune:

The Mexia Fan Again—Although put hat seems to have been lost in the mails somewhere between here and Mexia, the Mexia-Fan or Another Mexia Fan has popped another question to us. Here is the letter:

Mexia, Texas, July 31.

To the Sports Editor: Since you declare you have won a hat by answering two questions asked by a Mexia fan, and since you seem to take such pleasure in answering them see how easy this one is. Granting that the Waco team is a pretty fair ball club, and granting that the Indians are somewhere around the top, please tell your intelligent readers, especially the fans of Mexia just where the Indians would be today if they had been forced to play all of their Texas association games in Mexia. Yours If Stone wins another ball game for you. Another Mexia Fan.

That's also very easy. They would probably be in the hospital.

Politics makes strange bed fellows but baseball has its impossible also. Carl Hill has risen to Rankin Johnson's no hit, no run class, in the Texas Association.

Let o' funny things happen in this association.

The New York Yankees have purchased Benny Bedford, star outfielder

## BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION					
Friday's Results.					
Mexia 3, Corsicana 0.					
Waco 4, Temple 1.					
Austin 8, Marlin 7.					
Standing of Clubs.					
Clubs—	P.	W.	L.	Pct	
Waco	40	25	15	.625	
Corsicana	41	25	16	.610	
Marlin	41	24	17	.585	
Austin	40	17	23	.425	
Mexia	41	17	24	.415	
Temple	41	14	27	.341	
Where They Play Today.					
Temple at Mexia.					
Austin at Corsicana.					
Waco at Marlin.					

### SYRACUSE AND U. S. C. MEET ON DECEMBER 6

(By International News Service) LOS ANGELES, Aug. 2.—Date of the football game to be played here in the Coliseum between Syracuse and University of Southern California has been set for December 6.

of the Austin Rangers for \$2,500 in cash and three players to be delivered to Austin at the start of 1925 season. Bob Connery, Yankee Scout, handled the deal. Last year Connery bought Chick Antrey from the Rangers.

Chick is with Atlanta now. The Yankees, with Babe Ruth and Bedford in the game, have also contracted to play a game with the Rangers in Austin next training season. \$2,500 is believed the biggest cash offer ever made in the T. A. for an outfielder.

It'll not be long until Mexia can have a Coaches Club, not a club for coaches. There's Coach Fowlkes, Coach Porter, Coach Lewis already here with assistants and would be assistants as numerous as the poll tax list.

Dick Jackson from Corsicana trimmed three of the local golfers to the tune of ten strokes. Jackson made a low score of 42, John Sweat second with the score of 52. Blake Forrest third with the score of 51. Hardy Eubanks fourth and last with a score of 56. No doubt Jackson will return when the home boys have had a little more practice.

### WATCHING THE SCORE BOARD

YESTERDAY'S HERO — Dazzy Vance of the Dodgers, who by striking out 7 successive batters equalled the major league record. He whiffed 14 during the game, allowing the Cubs only three hits and Brooklyn won, 4 to 0.

St. Louis was the scene of much bitterness when the Yankees won the deal. Last year Connery bought Chick Antrey from the Rangers.

Babe Ruth was banished after cranking a decision in the ninth. Young Virgil Barnes put a stop to the heavy artillery of the Pirates and the Giants came out on top of a 3 to 1 game.

When Shortstop Bohne erred in the 15th inning he spoiled a pitching duel between Eppa Rixey and Rube Benton. By the error Boston won 3 to 2.

The Mackmen bunched hits in the eighth inning and nosed out Cleveland 4 to 3.

Faber was right and that explains the story of the White Sox third consecutive victory over Boston, 2 to 1.

The Senators have again hit their reports a good meeting.

stride in the American pennant race. For the third time in as many days Washington won from Detroit, the score 7 to 3.

### HOME RUN HITTERS

Peckinpough, Senators, 1—2. Bluege, Senators, 1—1.

Major N. P. Houx went to Corsicana Friday afternoon to attend a meeting of the Knights of Pythias lodge. The major is district deputy grand chancellor for the 14th district and is expected to officially visit each lodge in the district, and this was the object of his visit to Corsicana.

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60c Cascara Aromatic	39¢
25c Castor Oil	19¢
35c Cream of Tartar	23¢
25c Essence of Peppermint	19¢
30c Glycerin	23¢
25c Glycerin Sup., Infants	19¢
Hydrogen Peroxide, 4 oz.	13¢
25c Iodine, with glass applicator	19¢
This sale	19¢
1.00 Mineral Oil, Russian Type	69¢
15c Powdered Alum	10¢
30c Rochelle Salt	19¢
Sodium Bicarbonate, 16 oz. 2 for 25	
35c Spirits Ammonia, Aromatic	23¢
This sale	23¢
50c No. 6 Disinfectant	39¢

### Family Medicines

Iron, 16 oz.	79¢
25c Rexall Carbolic Salve	19¢
25c Rexall Corn Solvent	19¢
50 Rexall Kidney Pills, 60's	39¢
25c Rexall Little Liver Pills	17¢
100's, this sale	17¢
50c Rexall Liver Salts	39¢
1.00 Riker's Peptone, 16 oz.	79¢

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50c Georgia Rose Face Pwd.	39¢
50c Harmony Coconut Oil	39¢
Shampoo	39¢
\$1.00 Harmony Lilac Vegetal	59¢
50c Jonteel Cold Cream	39¢
\$1.50 Jonteel Manicure Set	\$1.19
\$1.50 Jonteel Odor	\$1.19
50c Juneve Face Pwd Compact	39¢
50c Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic	39¢
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\$1.25 Symphony Lawn Stat.	98¢
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75c Arabesque Stationery	59¢
75c Wyndmoor Writing Paper	
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\$1.00 Glenwood Env., 250	79¢
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40c Firstaid Adhesive Plaster	29¢
25c Firstaid Adhesive Plaster	19¢
40c Maximum Pocket Comb	29¢
\$1.75 Symbol Fountain Syringe	
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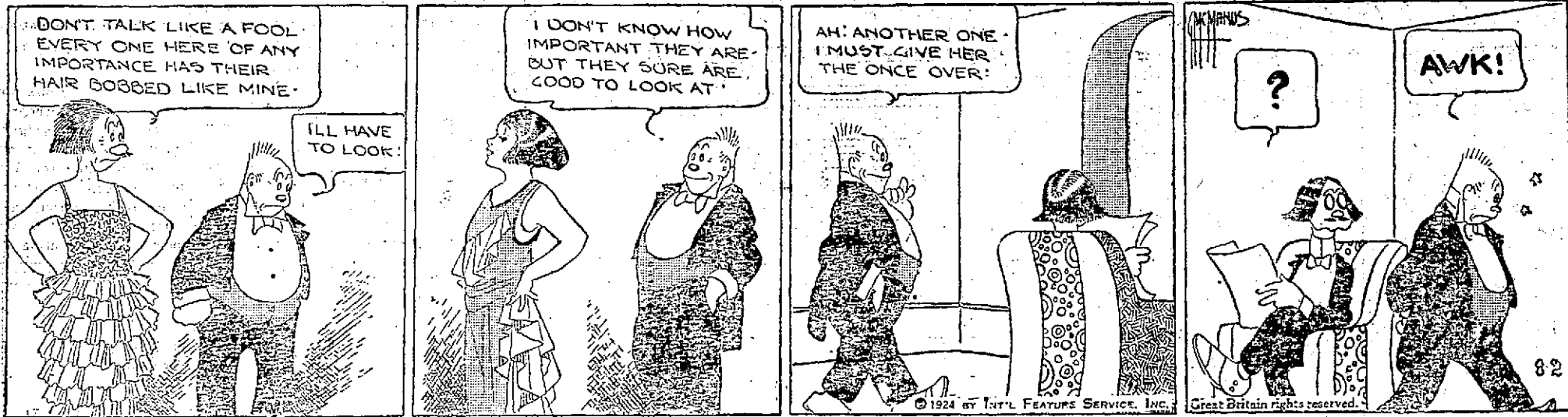


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## Olympic Games May Threaten World Peace

By FRANK GETTY  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
NEW YORK, July 31.—Conceived in the most harmonious spirit of friendly international athletic rivalry, the Olympic Games are surely not going to end in discord. Yet that is what some folks, returning from Paris, predict. The turbulent scenes of disorder, which marred conclusion of many of the contests at this year's games, the free fights, challenges to duels, unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of spectators, disregard of the ordinary standards of hospitality and other regrettable incidents of the 8th Olympiad have given rise to grave concern and raised the question: Are the games a good thing, after all? Disturbances which might well have resulted more seriously than in the duels, which, by the way, did not occur, have caused British sports men, for one group, to consider the advisability of further participation in the quadrennial sports. It has even been suggested that outbreaks of ill-feeling on the athletic field jeopardize world peace.

The Americans, for their part, bode the brunt of much hostility with most commendable calm. There were times when it seemed as though the cards were being deliberately stacked against them. There was the incident during the tennis matches, when our men's and women's teams had actually to threaten to withdraw unless "civilized" accommodations were provided. There was the conduct of the spectators which, allowing for a perfectly natural patriotic fervor, went beyond the bounds of all reason in a display of open animus towards our men and women.

We were not the only ones to suffer in this respect. So disgraceful was the conduct of the French spectators at the semi-finals doubles match, in which Brugnon and Crochet of France defeated Condon and Richardson of South Africa that the officials were forced to have the players finish the match outside the stadium.

The Italian fencers, on two occasions, withdrew in white heat from competition, singing their Fascist hymn. On another, they are reported to have threatened to bring their "black shirts" and capture their Hungarian opponents and force them to swallow castor oil, the favorite outrage perpetrated by their kind.

The boxing at the Velodrome d'Hiver ended amid turbulence, with a French boxer biting his British opponent severely in the chest and the spectators trying to drown with cat-calls and jeers the singing of the Belgian national anthem.

The incident of the fist fight between the French and American rugby teams is unpleasant to look back upon.

The main trouble probably was that this year's games had been allotted to France. Yielding to no one in admiration of the French, having served with their armies in the

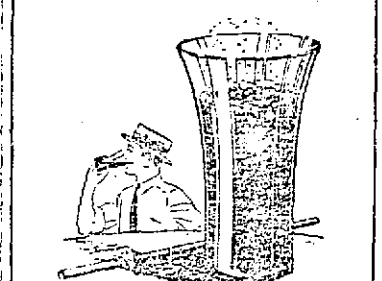
World War, the correspondent, is nevertheless, forced to admit that the French people were not in the proper mood this year to act as hosts for an assemblage of this kind. National hatreds have lived longer with the French, for excellent reasons, than with other nations. Under the guidance of Poincare and the Bloc National, not long enough out of office for their influence to have died, suspicion is a trait in the forefront of many a Frenchman's intellect. Resentment over their inability to conquer in sport as they conceived themselves to have conquered in war is another. Particularly did they resent America's obvious supremacy, and this resentment expressed itself in prejudice and partiality against our teams.

All this, of course, is over now, and there would be no need to bring it up if the question of the advisability of having any more Olympic Games were not being discussed seriously. As for the effect that the treatment accorded our athletes had upon their showing they scored more than twice as many points as any other nation—France being second, by the way—and our teams are returning with about all the trophies they can carry.

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31 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 12:50 p. m.  
37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.  
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.  
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 2:55 a. m.  
South bound—  
345 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.  
16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.  
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.  
38 Austin San Antonio ..... 12:21 a. m.  
18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.  
26 Houston San Antonio ..... 12:16 a. m.

T. & B. V.  
North.  
No. 8—3:25 p. m.  
South.  
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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### FOR SALE—J

FOR SALE—Cabinet Grafanola \$25. Singer sewing machine. Show cases, Cash register. Cafe stools. Majestic range. All kinds of dishes, beds and dishes. Wildman's Second Hand Store. East Palestine street. Across street from Opera House. 25J7

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Below 30 gravity ..... \$1.25  
30 to 32.9 gravity ..... 1.45  
33 gravity and above ..... 1.75

### Magnolia prices:

Below 28 gravity ..... \$ .90  
28 to 30.9 gravity ..... 1.00  
31 to 32.9 gravity ..... 1.10  
33 to 35.9 gravity ..... 1.35  
36 and above ..... 1.50

### North Central Texas.

Corsicana light ..... \$1.50  
Corsicana heavy ..... .90  
Thrall ..... 1.00  
Mexia ..... 1.50  
Currie ..... 1.50  
Powell ..... 1.50

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Corsicana light ..... \$1.50  
Corsicana heavy ..... .90  
Mexia ..... 1.50  
Powell ..... 1.50  
Currie ..... 1.50

### East Texas.

Nacogdoches shallow oil ..... \$2.00  
Premium of 50¢ a barrel over price of Texas Coastal Grade A crude posted for Nacogdoches shallow by Yucca Refining Company.

### Somerset.

Below 33 gravity ..... \$1.15  
33 to 35.9 gravity ..... 1.40  
36 to 38.9 gravity ..... 1.60  
39 gravity and above ..... 1.75  
Mineral ..... .75  
Luling ..... 1.00  
Rockdale-Minerva ..... 1.60  
Aboye 39 gravity ..... 1.80

### Gulf Coast.

Grade A ..... \$1.50  
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Caddo.

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### Homer.

35 gravity and above ..... \$1.60

33 to 34.9 gravity ..... 1.50

33 to 34.9 gravity ..... 1.40

Below 31 gravity ..... 1.25

### Haynesville.

33 gravity and above ..... \$1.50

Below 33 gravity ..... 1.40

### Bull Bayou.

38 gravity and above ..... \$1.55

35 to 37.9 gravity ..... 1.40

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Crichton ..... 1.40

Bellevue ..... 1.50

### Smackover.

26 gravity and above ..... \$1.05

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Below 21 gravity ..... .70

### El Dorado.

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Below 33 gravity ..... 1.50

El Dorado east field ..... .70

### Stephens District.

#### Atlantic.

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23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 deg. .... .95

Below 23 gravity at 60 deg. .... .75

### Eastern States.

New York Transit ..... \$2.55

Bradford, Pa. .... 2.25

Other Pennsylvania grades ..... 3.00

Cabel ..... 1.60

Ragland ..... 1.00

Corning ..... 1.20

Somerset medium ..... 1.70

Somerset light ..... 1.85

### AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas to be held on the 12 day of August 1924, for the purpose of electing

two persons to serve as members of the City Commission up to the first Tuesday in April, 1925, as provided by the Charter of the City of Mexia; designating the place at which said election is to be held and appointing presiding officers thereof, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 7th day of July, 1924, there was submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia at an election, the Charter that was prepared and submitted by the Charter Commission which was elected on the 21st day of March, 1923, and at such election a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election voted in favor of the adoption of the Charter so submitted and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the 7th day of July, 1924, and said results of said election duly certified and recorded by the presiding election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 10th day of July, 1924, the City Commission considered the returns and canvassed the same, and found that there was

cast at said election 479 votes for the adoption of the Charter and 341 votes against the adoption of the Charter; and the Commission thereupon a resolution duly entered declared that the Charter so submitted was adopted by majority vote of the qualified voters of said City voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the Charter adopted provided that there should be elected two additional members of the City Commission to hold office until the first Tuesday in April, 1926, or until their successors have been duly elected and qualified.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA:

Section 1: That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 12th day of August, 1924 for the purpose of electing two additional members of the City Commission.

Section 2: That the polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows: The polling place shall be at the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas and T. B. Chatham is hereby designated as presiding officer of said election.

Section 3: That an election shall be held under the provisions of Section 4, Article XVII of the Charter of the City of Mexia, Texas.

Section 4: All persons desiring to become candidates for members of the City Commission shall file their names with the City Secretary of the City of Mexia, Texas, not later than the 8th day of August, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m. and the names so filed shall be printed on said ballot as candidates to be voted upon at said election.

Section 5: A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election and ten (10) days notice of the time and place of holding said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the place designated for holding said election, to-wit: ten (10) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of said notice in less than ten (10) full days from day of the election.

Section 6: The fact that the Charter of the City of Mexia provides that there shall be five (5) members of the City Commission and that there are now only three creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules relating to the suspension of the ordinance to-wit: one way, and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval and publication.

Passed and approved this 14th day of July, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.  
Attest: E. D. Morgan, City Secretary

## CANDIDATES

### Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

### LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 25th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—

FELIX G. ROBERTSON.

For Judge 8th Judicial District—

J. ROSS BELL

(Re-Election 2nd Term)

J. E. WOODS.

For County Judge—

H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)

JOHNSON WAREFIELD

For County Tax Assessor—

TOM M. CAIN

R. W. (BOB) STEEN

For County Treasurer—

MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)

H. C. FITZGERALD.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 4—

S. H. FLAKE

CHARLES L. CLOVER.

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## RAIN IS NEEDED ON FARMS OF LIMESTONE COUNTY

There seems no doubt that a general rain over this section of Texas would be of vast benefit to crops generally. The continued dry spell has hurt cotton and corn. In some parts, however, it is declared that a rain would be of doubtful value, as a wet spell might bring the leaf worm, boll weevil and other wet season pests that invade farm lands.

There was a time when an humorous character resided in these parts who would remark after a rain breaking up a dry spell that he was sure that rain had been worth at least five hundred dollars to Limestone county. It is generally conceded that a rain now in this section would add much more than that to the pocket books of surrounding farmers.

## Conyers Is Honor Guest At Affair By His Townsmen

I. N. Conyers, for many years of Marlin and who has been engaged in business in Mexia for the past several years, was tendered a smoker recently by his fellow townsmen at Marlin. He and his family are to leave for Robstown which they will make their future home. Due to the many friends Mr. Conyers has in Mexia and through out this section, the following will prove interesting, as taken from The Marlin Democrat in regard to the affair in his honor:

"Presiding as chairman of the meeting, Frank Oltorf declared no individual had brought more business to Marlin than Mr. Conyers. He referred to the scrupulous honesty of the man, declaring farmers were willing to pay Conyers more money for horses, mules, feed and seed because they knew they would get a square deal. Mr. Oltorf said that as Mr. Conyers' attorney, he had found him straightforward in his dealings with others and never desiring to shade a case in his favor.

Dr. S. P. Rice referred to Mr. Conyers, coming to Marlin some 20 years ago as a horse trader. He cited the expansion of his business as proof of his ability. Dr. Rice also called attention to the fact that Mr. Conyers had reared a splendid family in Marlin, in the course of which one of his boys, Douglas Conyers, served overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces during the world war.

"Any farming community would be fortunate to secure a man like Mr. Conyers," said J. C. Mollaway. "Not only Marlin, but all Falls county will miss him. It meant something to the farmers to know that they could bring a mule, a cow, or a load of feed to Marlin and get what it was worth. The departure of Mr. Conyers is going to make itself felt on my business and others as well as in his particular line."

"The working people of this section will miss Mr. Conyers," said Lloyd Blanton. "He was their friend and has a fair best worker."

J. E. Coleman said his association with Mr. Conyers in both business and in the personal affairs of life had been most pleasant.

A tribute to Mr. Conyers as a business man was paid by J. W. Lockridge, who had been associated with him in this capacity.

The regret of the citizenship of Marlin in general over the departure of Mr. Conyers was expressed by Raymond Barnett, who said the best wishes of the community would go with him in his new field.

Mr. Conyers responded to the talks in a fitting manner. He expressed regret at having to leave "old Marlin," adding that he was not "burning any bridges behind him," and that he would be back from time to time."

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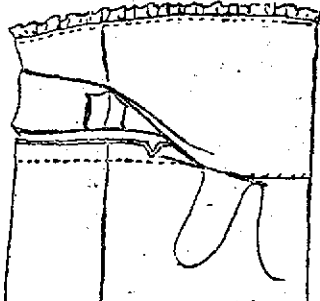
Plaits, the deeply cut neck and armholes and side-closing waist are details enough to enumerate to prove the smartness of this youthful frock from Paris. It is suitable to develop in gingham, wool crepe, silk or velvet.

To develop this dress in materials which are now wearable and which will be fashionable later on, wool crepe might be suggested because it is both smart and inexpensive. For the blouse, crepe de chine could be used. Two tones of one color could be used for the dress and blouse, or a combination of colors such as navy blue and black or dark brown and tan. For a girl of ten years of age

the model calls for 2 yards of material 36 inches wide for the dress and 1 1/2 yards crepe for the blouse.

A pleasing detail of the blouse is the trimming of tiny self-frills stitched about the collar, cuffs and down the front. The diagram shows how the cuff is made and turned back, after the ruffle has been set in. To make the cuff, cut two strips of material the same size. Have the pleating ready and sew it to the upper part of the cuff. Turn to the reverse side, then take the under side of the cuff, turn under the edge about 3/4 of an inch and fasten to the lower edge of the outer cuff to which the frill has been added.

Sew the lower edge of the sleeve to the upper edge of the right side of the cuff and stitch. Then turn under the upper edge of the under side of the cuff and sew to the lower edge of the sleeve, as shown in the diagram. This sewing may be done with fine hemming stitches, or it



Cuff Made Double and Frill Added.

may be done on the machine.

The skirt is laid in a wide box pleat at the front, with smaller plaits at the side. If preferred, however, it may be gathered and attached to the lower edge of the waist. The waist is bound with silk braid that corresponds in color with the blouse. Velvet and velveteen are going to be very fashionable for school modes for girls. Velveteen wears exceedingly well and is dressy. Combined with the colorful silks, nothing is smarter.

## LETTERS From the People

Austin, Texas, July 29, 1924.

To the Depositories of Independent School Districts:

On July tenth the State Board of Education fixed the apportionment for the scholastic year 1924-1925 at fourteen dollars per capita; of this amount I shall be able to send two dollars to each school district during the month of September. This is the first time in the history of the State that a payment on the per capita apportionment will have been made before the expiration of the first month of the school. You may reasonably expect the entire apportionment to be paid by May 1, 1925.

The law requires the Board of Trustees to select a depository annually. The term of the depository begins on September first. Inasmuch as there will be a payment on the per capita made in September, it is very important that the selection of the depository be made during the month of August. Blank forms for the bonds have already been sent to the presidents of school boards. The law governing the selection of the depository and making bond for the same makes the following specifications:

1. The amount of the bond must be for double the probable amount of the total annual income of the district.

2. No member of the school board, nor the wife or husband of any member, may be an officer, director or stockholder in the bank selected as depository.

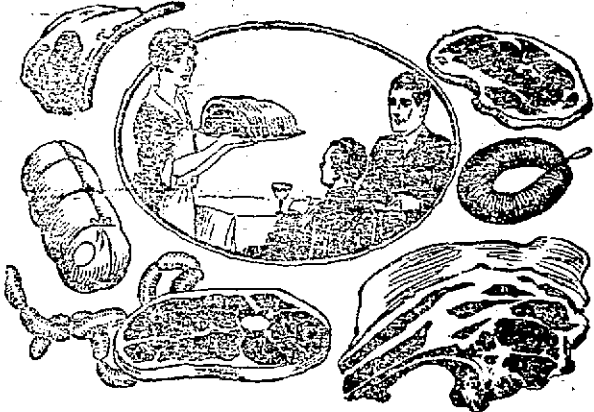
In making bond, please be careful to note:

1. If bond is made by two surety companies, each bond must contain a clause recognizing the liability of the other, as well as the amount of said liability.

2. The date of selection of the depository by the school board must be prior to the date of execution by the

depository bank, which date in turn must be prior to the date of approval by the school board. However, the three dates may be shown as concurrent, if all transactions occur on the same date. The date of selection and the date of execution, or the date of approval and the date of approval may be shown as concurrent.

I am very anxious that no delay be experienced in the distribution of the



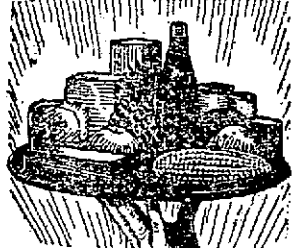
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school funds, and I, therefore, suggest that you call the attention of your local school authorities to this important matter immediately.

Sincerely yours,  
S. M. N. MARRS,  
State Superintendent.

## STANFORD LEADS SPIVEY IN DISTRICT CAMPAIGN

J. A. Stanford is leading J. W. Spivey, present incumbent of the office of associate justice of the Tenth Court of Civil Appeals by about 300 votes. The returns are nearly complete, according to the last report made.

Bob Capell returned Friday night from a trip over the road.

Hugh Everett had business in Corsicana Friday.

Tom Cox paid Corsicana a business visit Friday.



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Values up to \$19.75

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—Every dress in this lot is worth twice the money we are asking for them but on account of wanting to clear our racks for new Fall merchandise which will be arriving within a few weeks we offer them at this low price. \$9.85

### Group No. 5:

Values \$39.75 to \$49.75

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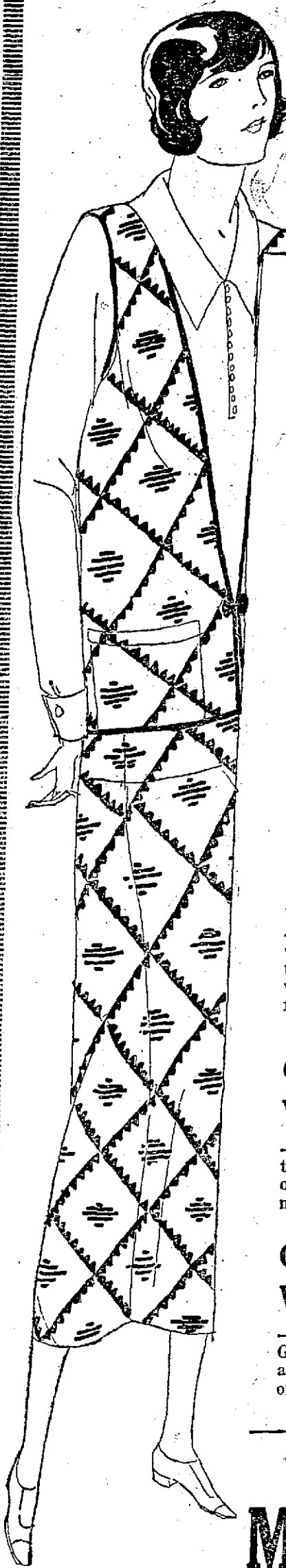
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\$22.50 Suits	\$15.77	\$35.00 Suits	\$24.77
\$25.00 Suits	\$17.77	\$37.50 Suits	\$26.77
\$27.50 Suits	\$18.77	\$39.50 Suits	\$28.77

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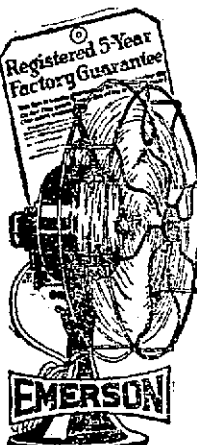
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